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Education

- Ph.D, Political Science, University of Arizona, 1988.
- M.A., Political Science, Georgia State University, 1983.
- B.A., Political Science (major), Economics (minor), Georgia State University, 1979.

Academic Posts

- Professor, Political Science and International Relations, Middle Tennessee State University, 2009 - present.
- Adjoint Professor of Latin American Studies, Center for Latin American Studies, Vanderbilt University, 2011-present.
- Professor, Political Science, University of South Alabama 2000-2009; Associate Professor 1995-1999; Assistant Professor 1989-1995.
- Professor (adjunct), Thunderbird: School of Global Management, Guadalajara Summer Program, 1988, 1992, 1995 – 2005.
- Instructor (adjunct), University of Arizona, Guadalajara Summer Program, 1993, 1994.
- Instructor (adjunct), *Instituto de Estudios Económicos y Regionales (INESER)*, *Universidad de Guadalajara*, Summer 1993, 1994.
- Fulbright Lecturer, *Instituto de Estudios Económicos y Regionales (INESER)*, *Universidad de Guadalajara*, 1991-1992.
- Assistant Professor (Visiting), Political Science, Colorado College, 1988-1989.
- Instructor, Thunderbird: American Graduate School of International Management, 1986-1988.
- Professor (Visiting), *Universidad de las Americas*, Puebla, Mexico, 1985-1986.

Administrative Posts

- Chair, Department of Political Science and International Relations, Middle Tennessee State University, 2009-2017.
- Director, International Studies Program, University of South Alabama, 1989-2009.
- Academic Director, Guadalajara Summer Program, Thunderbird: School of Global Management, 2000- 2005; co-Director, 1997.
- Co-Director, Summer Program in Mexico, University of South Alabama, 1994.

Scholarly Publications

Books

- *Corruption and Politics in Latin America: National and Regional Dynamics*, co-edited with Charles H. Blake. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner, 2010.
- *Political Corruption in Mexico: The Impact of Democratization*. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner, 2009. (*Honorable Mention, Alfred B. Thomas book award, 2010).
- *Corruption and Democracy in Latin America*, co-edited with Charles H. Blake, University of Pittsburgh Press, 2009.
- *Gringolandia: Mexican Identity and Perceptions of the U.S.* Landham, Maryland: Rowman & Littlefield, 2005. (*Honorable Mention, Alfred B. Thomas book award, 2006).
- *Political Reformism in Mexico: An Overview of Contemporary Mexican Politics*. Boulder, Colorado: Lynne Rienner, 1995.
- *Corrupción y Política en el México Contemporáneo*. México: Siglo Veintiuno, 1992; *Corruption and Politics in Contemporary Mexico*. Tuscaloosa: University of Alabama Press 1991.
- *Los Presidenciables: Mexico's Next Jefe, 1988*. Tempe, Arizona: INCAMEX, 1987.

Scholarly Publications, continued... **Articles in Peer-Review Journals**

- “Carlos Salinas de Gortari and His Legacy.” In Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Latin American History. Online publication, January 2018 (17 pp)
<http://latinamericanhistory.oxfordre.com/view/10.1093/acrefore/9780199366439.001.0001/acrefore-9780199366439-e-491>
- “La corrupción en México a través de los años: continuidad y cambio,” *Este País*. Part 1, No. 306, October 2016, pp. 32-35; Part 2, No. 313, March 2017, pp. 13-17.
- “Controlling Society/Controlling the State: Crime and Corruption with a Focus on Mexico.” *Tractus Aevorum* (Russia) 2 (2), 2015: 149-177.
- “Cambios en la opinión pública sobre la corrupción en México: 2004 al 2010.” *Política y Gobierno* Volumen Temático “Desafíos de la política mexicana”, 2013: 59-82.
- “Drug Trafficking, Corruption, and Violence in Mexico: Mapping the Linkages.” *Trends in Organized Crime* 16 (2), 2013: 195-220.
- “The Impact of Drug-Related Violence on Corruption in Mexico.” *The Latin Americanist*. 57 (1), 2013: 43-65.
- “Corruption, Drug Trafficking, and Violence in Mexico.” *The Brown Journal of World Affairs* 18 (11), 2012: 29-43.
- “Drugs, Violence, and Life in Mexico.” Review Essay, *Latin American Research Review* 47 (2), 2012: 216-223.
- “Forms of Corruption.” *CESifo Dice Report* 2, 2011: 10-14.
- “Mexico’s Political Culture, the Unrule of Law, and Corruption as a Form of Resistance.” *Mexican Law Review* 3 (2), 2011: 327-342.
- “Continuity and Change in Mexican Politics: The Legacies of the Mexican Revolution.” *The Latin Americanist* 54 (4), 2010: 183-199 (special issue on the Mexican Revolution).
- “Corruption and Trust: Theoretical Considerations and Evidence from Mexico.”

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- Comparative Politics Studies*, 43 (10), 2010: 1258-1285 (Coauthor: Joseph L. Klesner).
- “Disaggregating Corruption: A Comparison of Participation and Perceptions in Latin America with Special Focus on Mexico.” *Bulletin of Latin American Research* 27 (3), 2008: 388-409.
 - “Corruption in Latin America” (Guest Editor) *The Latin Americanist*. Special issue on Political Corruption 49 (2), 2006: 5-16.
 - “Mexico’s Long-Awaited Surprise.” Review Essay. *Latin American Research Review* 41 (1), 2006.
 - “Corruption in Latin America: An Empirical Overview.” *SECOLAS Annals* 36, 2004: 74-92.
 - “Corruption and Mexican Political Culture.” *Journal of the Southwest* 45 (4), 2003: 671-708.
 - “Between Neoliberalism and *neoindigenismo*: Reconstructing Mexican National Identity.” *National Identities* 3 (3), 2001: 239-255. (*SECOLAS award for best paper, 2002).
 - “What a Difference a Crisis Makes: NAFTA, Mexico, and the U.S.” *Latin American Perspectives* 117 Vol. 28 (2), 2001: 126-151 (Coauthor: John T Passe-Smith).
 - “Exploring Mexican Images of the U.S.” *Mexican Studies/Estudios Mexicanos* 16 (1), 2000: 105-139.
 - “Corruption and the Mexican Political System: Continuity and Change.” *Third World Quarterly* 20 (3), 1999: 623-643.
 - “Reforming the Nation: Mexican Nationalism in Context.” *Journal of Latin American Studies* 31 (2), 1999: 363-397.
 - “Hegemonía cultural o valores pos-materialistas: Resultados preliminares de una encuesta en Jalisco.” *Carta Económica Regional* 52, 1997: 10-15 (Coauthor: John T Passe-Smith).
 - “Jalisco y las elecciones entre 1988 y 1995: un análisis empírico.” *Carta Económica Regional* 43, 1995: 10-15.
 - “The Struggle of the PRD in Mexico.” *SECOLAS Annals* 26, 1995: 26-41.
 - “Political Reformism in Mexico: Past and Present.” Review Essay. *Latin American Research Review* 28 (2), 1993: 191-205.
 - “The Electoral Recovery of the PRI in Guadalajara, Mexico, 1988-1992.” *Bulletin of Latin American Research* 12, 1993: 91-102 (Coauthor: Jesús Arroyo Alejandro).
 - “Political Reformism in Mexico: Salinas at the Brink.” *Journal of Interamerican Studies and World Affairs* 34, 1992: 27-57.
 - “Análisis de resultados de las encuestas electorales en la zona metropolitana de Guadalajara.” *Carta Económica Regional* 24, 1992: 3-7 (Coauthor: Cesar Morones Servin).
 - “Distribución de ingreso y crecimiento económico: la experiencia de Estados Unidos y México durante los ochentas.” *Carta Económica Regional* 23, 1992: 48-52.
 - “Regime Cycles in Latin America.” *Review of Latin America Studies* 2 (3-4), 1989: 139-158.

- “Corruption and the Mexican Political System.” *Corruption and Reform* 2, 1987: 3-15.
- “La Política Exterior de los Estados Unidos en América Latina: Sus Pincipios y Prioridades.” *Ensayo* 2 (6), 1986: 23-26.

Scholarly Publications, continued... **Book chapters**

- “Linking Crime and Corruption: The Case of Mexico.” In Robert Rotberg, ed. *Latin American Corruption and Crime*. Springer (forthcoming, 2018).
- “Corruption in Mexico: Continuity amidst Change.” In Barney L. Warf, ed. *Handbook on the Geographies of Corruption* (forthcoming, 2018).
- “La Cultura política y corrupción en México.” In Manuel Cifuentes Vargas and César Vladimir Juárez Aldana, eds. *Construcción de ciudadanía y transparencia: Retos inaplazables de los Partidos Políticos*. Mexico City: PRD and INAI, 2017, pp. 205-224.
- “Corruption and Change in Mexico.” In Morris and Blake, eds. *Corruption and Politics in Latin America*. Lynne Rienner, 2010, pp. 137-164.
- “Corruption and Democracy at the State Level in Mexico.” In Blake and Morris, eds. *Corruption and Democracy in Latin America*. University of Pittsburgh Press, pp. 169-192.
- “Corrupción y confianza en México.” *Transparencia, Confianza Ciudadana e Instituciones: Seminario Internacional 2007 Memoria*. Mexico DF: InfoDF 2008, pp. 116-122.
- “Mexico: The Politics of Change.” In Monte Palmer, ed. *Comparative Politics: Political Economy, Political Culture and Political Interdependence*, 3rd Edition. Belmont, California: Thomson Wadsworth, 2006, pp. 417-471.
- “¿La política acostumbrada o política insólita? El problema de la corrupción en el México contemporáneo.” In Claudio Lomnitz, ed. *Vicios Públicos, Virtudes Privadas: La corrupción en México*. México: Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social, 2003, pp. 221-239.
- “Mexico: The Politics of Crisis and Change.” In *Comparative Politics: Political Economy, Political Culture and Political Interdependence*. 2nd Edition. Itasca, Ill.: F.E. Peacock, 2001, pp.359-400.
- “The Political Impact of the TLC (NAFTA) in Mexico: Premises and Possibilities.” In *TLC: North American Free Trade Agreement*. México: Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara, 1993, pp. 54-65.
- “Reestructuración económica y la crisis del autoritarismo: Un enfoque global.” In Carlos Barba Solano, Jose Luis Barros Horcasitas and Javier Hurtado, eds, *Transiciones a la Democracia: Europa y América Latina*. México: Universidad de Guadalajara, Miguel Angel Porrua, and FLACSO, 1991, pp. 75-99.

Scholarly Publications, continued... **Book Reviews**

- *Mexican Business Culture: Essays on Tradition, Ethics, Entrepreneurship and Commerce and the State* by Carlos M. Coria-Sánchez and John T. Hyatt, eds. H-Net reviews. 2017 <https://www.h-net.org/reviews/showpdf.php?id=48012>. .

- *The Sources of Democratic Responsiveness in Mexico* by Matthew R. Cleary. *Political Science Quarterly* 126 (1), 2011: 165-166.
- *Palace Politics: How the Ruling Party brought Crisis to Mexico* by Jonathan Schlefer. In *Journal of Latin American Studies* 41, 2009: 398-400.
- *Yucatán in an Era of Globalization* by Eric N. Baklanoff and Edward H. Moseley, eds. In *The Latin Americanist* 52 (3), 2008: 79-81.
- *The Romance of Democracy: Compliant Defiance in Contemporary Mexico* by Matthew Gutmann. In *Bulletin of Latin American Research* 23 (3), 2004: 390-391.
- *Market Reforms in Mexico: Coalitions, Institutions, and the Politics of Policy Change* by Mark Eric Williams. In *Latin American Politics and Society* 45 (1), 2003: 186-189.
- *Industrialization and Private Enterprise in Mexico* by Taeko Hoshino. In *Latin American Politics and Society* 44 (4), 2002: 189-192.
- *Organized Crime and Democratic Governability in Mexico and the U.S.-Mexico Border* edited by John Bailey and Roy Godson. In *Bulletin of Latin American Research* 21 (1), 2002: 148-150.
- *Feeding Mexico: The Political Uses of Food since 1910* by Enrique Ochoa. In *Bulletin of Latin American Research* 20 (4), 2001: 537-539.
- *Territorios de Alternancia* by Alberto Aziz Nassif. In *Hispanic American Historical Review* 80 (2), 2000: 374-377.
- *Informal Politics: Street Vendors in Mexico City* by John Cross. In *Southeastern Latin Americanist* 43 (3), 2000: 121-123.
- *The Post-Nafta Political Economy* by Carol Wise (ed). In *Southeastern Latin Americanist*. 43 (1-2), 1999: 136-137.
- *Hope and Frustration* by Carlos Gil. In *Southeastern Latin Americanist* 36 (1), 1992: 67-68.
- *The State, Corporatist Politics and Educational Policy Making in Mexico* by Morales Gomez and Torres. In *Southeastern Latin Americanist* 34 (4), 1991: 32-33.

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Other publications

- “Se requiere de un gran movimiento social,” special issue “La corrupción como problema social” *Ibero* Junio/Julio 2016, p. 35.
- “Salinas de Gortari, Carlos (1948-).” *Iconic Mexico: An Encyclopedia from Acapulco to Zócalo*, Vol. 1. Edited by Eric Zolov. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-Clio, 2015, pp. 517-525.
- “The Inter-American Convention against Corruption (ICAC)” Encyclopedia entry for *Encyclopedia of U.S.-Latin American Relations*. CQ Press, 2012.
- “Mexican Corruption World's Problem.” *Mobile Register* February 25, 1996, p. C1, 4.
- “Mexico: Is this Crisis Different?” *Mobile Register* July 9, 1995, p. C1, 4.
- “Mexico: Surprises and Deja Vu.” *Mobile Register* February 5, 1995, p. C1, 4.
- “Will Crisis Bring Change in Mexico.” *Mobile Register* April 3, 1994, p. C1, 4.
- “Putting the Final First.” *Political Science Teacher* 3 (4), 1990: 9-10.
- “Commentary” on 'Imperialismo en América Latina' by David Carretero. In *Ensayo* 2 (6), 1986: 31.

Conference Papers/Presentations

- “A Comparison of Perceptions of Corruption in Mexico and the United States.” 19th April International Academic Conference on Economic, and Social Development. High School of Economics, Moscow, Russia, April 10-13, 2018.
- “Variation on a Theme: Corruption in Mexico and the US: State/Business Linkages.” International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, Lima Peru, April 26-May 1, 2017.
- “Variations on a Theme: Corruption in Mexico and the US.” Annual meeting of the Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies, Chapel Hill, NC, March 23-25, 2017.
- “Variations on a Theme: Corruption in Mexico and the U.S.” 63rd Annual Conference of the Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Cartagena, Colombia, March 9-12, 2016.
- “Empowering/Constraining State and Society: A Framework for the Study of Political Corruption,” 73rd Annual Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, IL, April 16-19, 2015.
- “Crime and Corruption in Mexico: Exploring the Linkages,” 62nd Annual Conference of the Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Charleston, SC, March 12-14, 2015.
- “Corruption, Rule of Law, and Democratization in Mexico: Concepts and Boundaries,” for presentation at the XXXII International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, May 21-24, 2014, Chicago, IL.
- “Concepts and Boundaries: Corruption, Rule of Law, and Democracy in Mexico,” 61st Annual Conference of the Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies, New Orleans, LA, March 27-29, 2014.
- “The Culture of Corruption: Exploring Theoretical Issues and the Case of Mexico” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Panama City, Panamá, March 6-9, 2013.
- “The Impact of Drug-related Violence on Corruption in Mexico.” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Gainesville, Florida, March 29-31, 2012.
- “Drug Trafficking, Corruption, and Violence: Mapping the Linkages.” Latin American Studies Association (LASA), San Francisco, California, May 23-26, 2012.
- “La corrupción y el estado de derecho en México: ¿el camión pasa por aquí? IV Congreso de Gobierno y Gestión Pública, Departamento de Estudios Políticos y Humanidades, Universidad de Quintana Roo, Chetumal, November 16-17, 2011.
- “Profiling the Corruption, Drugtrafficking and Violence Triangle in Mexico.” Conference on Corruption in Mexico, Russia, and the United States, Vanderbilt University, October 13-14, 2011.
- “Changes in Public Opinion toward Corruption in Mexico: 2004 and 2010 LAPOP Americas Barometer Polls.” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Wilmington, NC, March 16-19, 2011.
- “La opinión pública hacia la corrupción política en México: Resultados de las encuestas Barómetro de las Américas 2004 y 2010.” “Desafíos de la Política Mexicana: Visiones

desde el Barómetro de las Américas.” LAPOP/ CIDE/ Data OPM, Workshop on the 2010 Americas Barometer Survey, January 28, 2011, Mexico D.F.

- “Drug Trafficking, Violence, and Corruption in Mexico.” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Mexico City, April 7-10, 2010.
- “Contextualizing Corruption: The UnRule of Law in Mexico.” Latin American Studies Association (LASA), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, June 11-15, 2009.
- “Contextualizing Corruption: The UnRule of Law in Mexico.” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), New Orleans, LA, April 16-18, 2009.
- “Political Corruption in Mexico: The Cultural Residual.” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Tampa, Florida, April 17-19, 2008.
- “Corruption and Trust in Mexico” (co/author Joe Klesner). Midwestern Political Science Association. Chicago, Illinois, April 3-6, 2008.
- “Political Corruption in Mexico.” Latin American Studies Association (LASA), Montreal, Canada, September 2-5, 2007.
- “Corruption and Change in Mexico.” Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), San Jose, Costa Rica, April 19-21, 2007.
- “Corruption and Politics in Latin America: Introduction and Overview,” North Central Council of Latin Americanists (NCCLA), Mankato, Minnesota, November 3-4, 2006.
- “Disaggregating Corruption: Participation and Perceptions in Latin America and Mexico,” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Charlotte, NC, April 6-8, 2006.
- “Corruption at the State Level in Mexico under Fox: A Preliminary Look at Change.” Latin American Studies Association (LASA), San Juan, Puerto Rico, March 15-18, 2006.
- “Corruption and Political Perceptions in Mexico,” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), Nashville, Tennessee, April 7-9, 2005.
- “Political Corruption in Latin America: An Empirical Overview,” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies (SECOLAS). Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, March 4-6, 2004.
- “La corrupción en México: Un análisis empírico por entidad federativa.” Seminario “Corrupción y Democracia en México en el Siglo XXI,” sponsored by IBERGOP (Escuela Iberoamericana de Gobierno y Política Pública) and CIDE (Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económica), Mexico, DF, August 25-26, 2003.
- “Political Corruption in Mexico: A Comparative State-Level Analysis.” Latin American Studies Association Congress (LASA). Dallas, Texas, March 26-29, 2003.
- “Lighting the Shadows: The New Focus on Political Corruption in Latin America.” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies (SECOLAS). Chapel Hill, North Carolina, March 6-8, 2003.
- “Corruption and Mexican Political Culture,” Symposium: “Latin America, Mexico and the Borderlands.” University of Arizona, Tucson, November 8, 2002.
- “Mexico’s Political Culture of Corruption and Anti-Corruption.” Symposium: “Free Markets and Democracy in Mexico in the 21st Century.” Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, October 26, 2002.

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- “Exploring U.S. Perceptions of Mexico: A Review of the Literature.” SECOLAS. Mobile, Alabama, February 28-March 2, 2002.
 - “Fox’s Anti-Corruption Campaign in Mexico: A Preliminary Look at Approaches and Strategy.” LASA. Washington, DC, September 6-8, 2001.
 - “Mexican Perception of the U.S underlying the Political Discourse of the Ruling Elite.” SECOLAS. Veracruz, Mexico, March 1-3, 2001.
 - “Mexican Perceptions of the U.S.: A Review of Past and Current Treatments in elementary and Secondary School Texts.” SECOLAS. Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, March 9-11, 2000.
 - “Perceptions of Self (Mexico) and Other (the U.S.) in the Writings of the Mexican Intellectual Elite.” SECOLAS. Lafayette, Louisiana, March 16-18, 1999.
 - “Mexican Perceptions of the U.S.: An Exploration of Themes in Political Caricature and Among the Intellectual Elite.” LASA. Chicago, Illinois, September 24-26, 1998.
 - “What a Difference a Crisis Makes: NAFTA, Mexico and the U.S.” Western Political Science Association. Tucson, Arizona, March 13-15, 1997.
 - “Disaggregating Nationalism: Framing an Analysis of Contemporary Mexican Nationalism.” SECOLAS. Miami, Florida, April 11-13, 1996.
 - “Cultural Policy of Mexico in Comparative Perspective: An Overview and Outline.” LASA. Washington, D.C., September 28-30, 1995.
 - “The Cultural Impact of Economic Integration on Mexico: A Review of the Theoretical Literature.” SECOLAS. Chapel Hill, North Carolina, March 9-11, 1995.
 - “What’s Left of the Left: The PRD in Mexico.” SECOLAS. LaFayette, Louisiana, April 14-16, 1994.
 - “The Political Aspects of the Guadalajara Explosions of April 22 1992.” LASA. Atlanta, Georgia, March 10-13, 1994 (with Sergio Rodríguez).
 - “¿La reconoceremos sólo cuando llegemos? El rumbo mexicano a la democracia.” VII *Encuentro Internacional de Ciencias Sociales, Feria Internacional del Libro*. Guadalajara, Mexico, November 28 - December 3, 1993.
 - “Reformism under De la Madrid and Salinas in Mexico.” Southwestern Political Science Association. New Orleans, Louisiana, March 17-20, 1993.
 - “Reforming the Revolution: Changing the Message to Save the Messenger?” SECOLAS. Antigua, Guatemala, February 17-21, 1993.
 - “The Political Impact of NAFTA in Mexico.” Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara and Thunderbird Conference on NAFTA. Chapala, Jalisco, August 6-7, 1992.
 - “Reformism in Mexico: A Regional Approach.” Rocky Mountain Council on Latin American Studies (RMCLAS). El Paso, Texas, February 20-22, 1992.
 - “Salinas at the Brink: The Challenge from the Left and Political Reformism in Mexico.” LASA. Washington, D.C., April 4-6, 1991.
 - “Reformism in Mexico.” SECOLAS. Tampa, Florida, April 7-8, 1990.
 - “The Dynamics of Democratic Development.” The Alabama Academy of Sciences. Mobile, Alabama, March 7-8, 1990.
 - “Regime Cycles in Latin America: A Review of the Literature.” RMCLAS. Las Cruces,

New Mexico, February 1989.

- “Attitudes towards Political Corruption in Mexico: Results from a Recent Survey.” RMCLAS. Fort Collins, Colorado, February 4-6, 1988.

Other Professional Presentations

- “Corruption in Mexico and the United States.” St. Petersburg State University, St. Petersburg, Russia, April 9, 2018.
- “Corrupción, Poder, Desigualdad y Lord Acton: México y Estados Unidos.” *Democracia y autoritarismo en México y el mundo. Diálogos por la democracia*. Mexico City, February 14-15, 2018.
- “Cultura política y corrupción en México.” Seminar: *Construcción de Ciudadanía y Transparencia*. INAI (National Institute for Access to Information) Mexico City, October 21, 2016.
- “Estudios sobre la corrupción en el México contemporáneo” graduate seminar, *Instituto Mora*, Mexico City, August 19, 2016.
- “La corrupción y poder en México.” Instituto Mora, Mexico City, August 18, 2016.
- “La corrupción en México a través de los años: El dinámico del gatopardismo.” Conferencia magistral, El Colegio de Jalisco, May 20, 2016.
- Panelist, Panel II: “Public Institutions and Accountability,” at “Mexico’s Future: In Search of a New Democratic Equilibrium,” sponsored by the Center for Latin American and Latino Studies, American University, and the Instituto de Investigación Jurídicas, Mexico National Autonomous University, Washington, D.C., April 1-2, 2013.
- “Integridad y Estado de Derecho en México: Dilemas, brechas y veredas.” *Transparencia Mexicana*, Mexico City, March 6; *Escuela libre de Derecho de Puebla*, Puebla, Mexico, March 8; and *Ciudad Administrativa*, State Government of Oaxaca, Oaxaca, Mexico, March 9. Sponsored by *Transparencia Mexicana* and the United States Embassy in Mexico, 2013 “The Return of the PRI: *Gatopardismo* in Mexico.” Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida, November 16, 2012.
- “La Corrupción vs. La Democracia: ¿el ciudadano como víctima o instrumento del cambio?” Tegucigalpa and San Pedro Sula, Honduras, State Department U.S. Speaker Grant, October 1-5, 2012.
- “La empresa y la corrupción.” *Asociación de Maquilas*, San Pedro Sula, Honduras, October 5 (State Department U.S. Speaker Grant).
- “La corrupción y el estado de derecho en México: ¿el camión pasa por aquí? IV Congreso de Gobierno y Gestión Pública, Departamento de Estudios Políticos y Humanidades, Universidad de Quintana Roo, Chetumal, November 16-17, 2011.
- Presentation on “Corruption and Trust in Mexico.” Vanderbilt University, LAPOP monthly meeting, October 20, 2010.
- Participation in “Mexico’s Future Trajectory: A Strategic Game.” SAIC, McLean, VA, July 27-28, 2010.
- “Corrupción como resistencia: La política sin legitimidad.” Instituto de Investigaciones Sociales (IIS), Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico City, April 6, 2010.

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- “The Unrule of Law in Mexico: Contextualizing Corruption.” Institute for the Study of Latin America and the Caribbean, University of South Florida, February 23, 2009.
 - “The Unrule of Law in Mexico.” University of Alabama at Birmingham. November 14, 2008.
 - “Los candidatos a la presidencia de Estados Unidos de América y sus políticas hacia México.” Universidad de Guadalajara, Centro Universitario de Ciencias Económico Administrativas, October 17, 2008.
 - “*Gringolandia: Mexican Identity and Perceptions of the United States.*” University of Alabama, March 2008.
 - “*Gringolandia: Mexican Identity and Perceptions of the United States.*” Distinguished Lecture Series, University of South Alabama Baldwin County, January 19, 2008.
 - “*Confianza y Corrupción en México.*” Seminar on Transparency, Confidence and Corruption, Institute for Access to Information of the Federal District, Mexico City, October 25-26, 2007.
 - “Politics in Mexico: The Rule of Law. Or Not.” Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida, February 22, 2007.
 - “*Gringolanida: Mexican Identity and Perceptions of the United States.*” Center for Latin American Studies Colloquium, February 22, 2007.
 - “Overview of Latin America and Panama.” National Guard, Ft. Whiting, Mobile, October 14, 2006.
 - “Disagregando la Corrupción: Participación vs. Percepción.” Diplomado sobre Rendición de Cuentas y el Combate a la Corrupción, Instituto Tecnológico de Monterrey, Mexico City Campus, August 5, 2006.
 - “Looking at the ‘Other’, Seeing Yourself: Mexican and US Perceptions.” For “Hispanics in the United States and Alabama, History, Literature, Language and Religion” 2006 Super Teacher Institute, University of South Alabama, June 26, 2006.
 - “Nationalism and Marketing.” Univerdidad Autonoma de Guadalajara and Thunderbird Symposium on International Business, August 4, 2004.
 - “*Gringolandia: Mexican Perceptions of the U.S. and National Identity.*” Birmingham-Southern College, May 5, 2004.
 - “Mexico’s Historic Election of 2000: The Defeat of the Long Ruling PRI (Finally).” Humanities/Social Sciences Colloquium, University of South Alabama, October 9, 2000.
 - “Illiberal Democracy: The Case of Mexico.” Conference on Illiberal Democracies, Sponsored by the Office of External Research, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, US Department of State, February 22, 2000.
 - “Doing Business in Mexico.” Mobile Area Chamber of Commerce, January 20, 2000.
 - “*La democracia y la ingobernabilidad: ¿Una relación perversa?*” Universidad Panamericana, Guadalajara, Mexico, July 27, 1999.
 - “Mexican Images of the U.S.: Themes and Linkages,” Dean’s Lecture, College of Arts and Sciences, University of South Alabama, Mobile, November 24, 1998.
 - “Reconstructing Nation: Mexican Perceptions of the U.S. in the Era of NAFTA.” Buckman Speaker. Rhodes College, Memphis, Tennessee, October 27, 1997.

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- “Mexico’s Views toward the United States.” Humanities/Social Science Colloquium, University of South Alabama, May 14, 1997.
 - “Updating, Outdating, *Corruption and Politics in Contemporary Mexico*.” Symposium: “Corruption and Society in Mexico.” University of Chicago, November 30-December 2, 1995.
 - “*Inquietudes sobre el aspecto cultural de la integración económica*,” Colloquium, *Instituto de Estudios Económicos y Regionales, Universidad de Guadalajara*, June 30, 1995.
 - “*La democracia en Mexico?*” Colloquium, *Instituto de Estudios Económicos y Regionales, Universidad de Guadalajara*, July 28, 1994.
 - “The Political Angles of NAFTA.” USA- NAFTA Conference, Mobile, Alabama, November 1993.
 - “*La corrupcion y politica en el Mexico contemporaneo*.” Book Presentation sponsored by Siglo Vientiuno. Guadalajara and Mexico City, April 2 & 6, 1993.
 - “Political Change and Continuity in Mexico.” Humanities/Social Sciences Colloquium, University of South Alabama, January 13, 1993.
 - *Diplomado* (workshop) on the U.S. Government. *Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey*, Mexico, December 13-14, 1991.
 - “*Las reformas internas del PRI*.” Fulbright Forum. *Universidad de Guadalajara*, December 9, 1991.
 - “*Los retos de liderazgo mundial*.” *II Día de Relaciones Internacionales, Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey*, November 13, 1991.
 - “*Reformismo en México*.” Colloquium. *Instituto de Estudios Económicos y Regionales Universidad de Guadalajara*, September 9, 1991.
 - “*Reestructuración económica y la crisis del autoritarismo*.” Inaugural Address. *Facultad de Estudios Politicos, Internacionales y de Gobierno, Universidad de Guadalajara*, September 2, 1991.
 - “Implications of the 1988 Mexican Elections.” Colorado-Wyoming Political Science Association, Ft. Collins, Colorado, April 7, 1989.

Grants

- U.S. Speaker Grant, U.S. State Department, October 2012.
- University of South Alabama Research Council Grant, \$2,000, Summer, 2006 to support field research in Mexico.
- Fulbright Scholar-in-residence Program for the International Studies Program, University of South Alabama, Spring 2001.
- University of South Alabama, College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Support and Development Grant, \$2,200 to support the hosting of the 49th annual meeting of the Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), 2001 (co-sponsor).
- University of South Alabama Research Council Grant, \$554 for public opinion data on the project “Mexican Perceptions of the U.S.,” 2001.
- University of South Alabama Research Council Grant, \$5,000 to conduct a public

opinion poll in the state of Jalisco on Mexican Perceptions of the U.S. Summer, 1995.

- Alabama Council of International Programs grant to support USA's NAFTA conference, November 1993 (co-coordinator of project: Dr. Lloyd).
- Co-coordinator, \$30,000, Ford Foundation Grant to the *Instituto de Estudios Económicos y Regionales, Universidad de Guadalajara*, to study the public policy implications of the Guadalupean explosions of 1992.
- Fulbright Lecturing Award, Mexico, 1991-1992. Teaching and research on economic restructuring and the crisis of authoritarianism.
- University of South Alabama Research Council Grant, \$2,000, Summer, 1990 to support field research in Mexico.
- Assistant Investigator, US Department of Labor, Study of Worker Recruiting Policies and Programs in the US-Mexican Border Industrialization Program, directed by Professor Edward J. Williams, 1988.
- Summer Dissertation Research Support Grant, University of Arizona, 1987.

Professional Activities

- Study/Education Abroad
 - Co-coordinator/Instructor, “Cuba in the 21st Century,” MTSU sponsored program, January 2016, January 2017, June 2018.
 - Co-coordinator/Instructor, “Mexico in the 21st Century,” MTSU sponsored program, June 2017.
 - Co-coordinator/Instructor, MTSU program in Comayagua, Honduras, Summer, 2012.
 - Director/Professor, Thunderbird: Graduate School of International Management, Guadalajara Summer Program, Mexico, 1988, 1992, 1995 – 2005.
 - Instructor (adjunct), University of Arizona, Guadalajara Summer Program, Mexico, 1993, 1994.
- External Program Reviewer/Evaluator:
 - Department of Political Science, Indiana University, Pennsylvania, March, 2016.
 - Department of Political Science, East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, February 2008.
 - Department of Political Science and International Studies, James Madison University, April 2005.
 - SUPER Teacher Institute, Alabama Humanities Foundation, Summer 2008.
 - Tenure/Promotion: Claremont McKenna College, Kenyon College, New Mexico State University, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Birmingham Southern.
- Consultant/Expert Witness:
 - Written testimony before the Canadian Immigration and Refugee Committee, June 2011.
 - Expert Witness for Dechert in the case of *Vitro v. Ad Hoc* bondholders group, April - June 2012.
 - Pre-Electoral Observation Team, Global Exchange and *Alianza Civica*, Mexico,

May–June 2000.

- Consultant on Corruption in Mexico, Parvus International Corporation, 1999.
- Academic Organizations
 - LASA (Latin American Studies Association):
 - Member, prize committee for best essay, Mexico Section, 2010-11, 2011-12.
 - Panel Organizer and Chair: “Political Corruption in Latin America,” San Juan, PR, September 2005; “Roundtable on Changing Perceptions of the U.S. in Latin America,” Washington, D.C. September 2001; “A Cultural Impact of Economic Integration: Comparative Perspectives,” Washington, D.C., September 1995; “Implications of the Guadalajara Explosions of April 1992,” Atlanta, March 10-13, 1994.
 - SECOLAS (Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies)
 - Member, editorial board *The Latin Americanist*, since 2004.
 - Web designer/maintenance and member of the executive committee, 2005-2017.
 - Member, AB Thomas Book Award Committee, 2010-13.
 - President, 2006-2007
 - Member of executive committee.
 - Member Sturgis Leavitt Award Committee, 2003-2005.
 - Guest Editor of *The Latin Americanist* special issue on Political Corruption, March 2006.
 - Program Chair for the annual conferences in 2005 and 2013.
- Conference Organizer
 - Co-organizer, conference on Corruption in Mexico, Russia, and the United States, sponsored by MTSU, Vanderbilt, and the Institute for Cooperation and Democracy, October 13-14, 2011.
 - Co-chair, Local Arrangements, 54th annual meeting in San José, Costa Rica, 2007 and 49th Annual meeting of SECOLAS in Mobile, 2002.
- Editorial board, *Carta Economica Regional* (Universidad de Guadalajara) since 1995.
- Reviewing of Manuscripts / Grant Proposals for:
American Political Science Review, Bulletin of Latin American Research, Comparative Political Studies, Corruption and Reform, Global Corruption Report for Transparency International, Human Organization, Journal of Interamerican Studies and World Affairs (currently *Latin American Politics and Society*), *Mexican Studies/Estudios Mexicanos*, Lynne Rienner Publishers, PORTAL, the Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC), *Trends in Organized Crime*, and Rowman & Littlefield.

Service Activities at Middle Tennessee State University (2009 -)

- Member, International Advisory Committee, 2017-
- Member, College of Liberal Arts Advisory Committee, 2017-
- Member, Focus Act Transition Team, 2016 - .
- Member, Search Committee, University College Dean, 2015-16.
- Chair, Sociology/Anthropology Department Chair Search Committee, 2015-16.

- Chair, Council of Chairs, 2015-16, member of the executive committee since 2014-15.
- Chair, History Department Chair Search Committee, 2011-2012.

Service Activities at the University of South Alabama (1989-2009)

- Chair, College of Arts and Sciences, Award Committee, 2008-2009.
- Secretary, Faculty Senate, 2008-2009.
- Co-organizer, Humanities & Social Sciences Colloquium Series, 2002 – present.
- Gender Studies Committee, 1997-present; chair, 2007-2008.
- Co-Chair, Council of International Education, 2008- present.
- Chair, Promotion Committee; member of Promotion/Tenure Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, 2005-2006, 2007-2008.
- Chair, Mentoring and Academic Development Committee, University Faculty Senate, 2007-2008.
- Search Committee for Director of International Programs, 2007.
- Advisory Committee, “Building Weekend College: University Collaboration,” College of Continuing Education, 2007.
- Academic Awards Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, 2006-2007.
- Chair, University Faculty Senate, 2004-2005.
- Senator, University Faculty Senate, 1998-2001, 2002-2005, 2007-2010.
- Vice-Chair, University Faculty Senate, 2002-2003, 2003-2004.
- Chair, Senate Ad Hoc Committee to Evaluate Presidential Performance, 2003.
- Senate Ad Hoc Committee on Football, 2001.
- Chair, Policy and Handbook Committee, University Faculty Senate, 1999-2000.
- International Affairs Committee (University), International Education Committee (College), Mobile International Cultural and Tourism (MICAT) (city).
- Departmental Committees. Evaluation, Library, Curriculum, Grade Grievance, etc.
- Faculty Advisor to the following student organizations:
 - Amnesty International
 - International Studies Club
 - Latin American Students Association
 - Model United Nations Club

Awards

- Honorable Mention, Alfred B. Thomas Book Award, Southeastern Council of Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), 2006 and 2010.
- Outstanding Teaching Award, 2007-2008, College of Arts and Sciences, University of South Alabama.
- “Top Prof,” Mortar Board Senior Honor Society, 2008.
- Outstanding Service Award 2005-2006, College of Arts and Sciences, University of South Alabama.
- Sturgis Leavitt Award for best published article on Latin America, Southeastern Council

on Latin American Studies (SECOLAS), 2002.

- Faculty Service and Development Award, University of South Alabama, Fall 2001.
- Dean's Lecture Award 1997-1998 (for scholarship), College of Arts and Sciences, University of South Alabama.

Courses Taught

- Comparative Politics: Introduction to Global Politics, Comparative Politics, Political Corruption (undergraduate & graduate), Seminar in Comparative Politics (graduate), and Third World Politics.
- Latin America: Economic Competitiveness in an Emerging Economy: Mexico (graduate), Economic Restructuring and the Crisis of Authoritarianism, Latin American Foreign Policies, Latin American Politics, Modern Central America (graduate), Mexico (graduate & undergraduate), North American Political Economy, Regional Business Environment (graduate), Politics of Mexico, and U.S.-Latin American Relations.
- International Studies: American (U.S.) Foreign Policy, Global Issues, the United Nations, and Seminars on: Global Economic Restructuring and the Crisis of Authoritarianism, Globalization, International Political Economy, and Nationalism.
- Other: Research Methods in Political Science, Political Science and International Relations as a Profession

Foreign Languages

- Spanish: Fluent in reading, speaking and writing.