

CURRICULUM VITAE

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FORMAL EDUCATION:

2011	PhD	University of Oregon, Eugene, OR Specializations in History: Colonial Latin America, Modern Latin America, and Christianity in the Atlantic World Dissertation: Bartolomé de Las Casas's <i>Brevísima relación de la destrucción de las Indias</i> in Civil and Ecclesial Juridical Traditions
2007	MA	University of Oregon, Eugene, OR Specializations in History: Pre-contact America, Colonial Latin America, Modern Latin America, and Early Modern Europe Thesis: The Unheard Voice of Law from an Often-heard text: A New Rendition of Bartolomé de Las Casas's <i>Brevísima relación de la destrucción de las Indias</i>
2001	MA	Dominican School of Philosophy and Theology Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, CA Specialization: <i>Latino-Luso</i> Studies Thesis: <i>Confesionario: Avisos y reglas para confesores</i> by Bartolomé de Las Casas: A Translation and Introduction to its Historical and Legal Teaching
2001	MDiv	Dominican School of Philosophy and Theology Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, CA
1999-00	Study Abroad	<i>Instituto Teológico de San Esteban</i> <i>Universidad Pontificia</i> , Salamanca, Spain Academic Year of Studies
1999	Study Abroad Certificate <i>Luso</i> Study	<i>Universidade dos Açores</i> , Ponta Delgada, Portugal Summer Course: Language, Literature, Society, Culture, Economy, and Environment of Azores
1986	BS	California State University, Fresno, CA Major: Business Administration; Minor: Spanish
1980	AA	Reedley Junior College, CA Major: Agriculture; Minor: Spanish

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

- 2011 **Graduate Teaching Fellowship**, University of Oregon:
Winter Qtr, Colonial Latin American History
- Guest Lecture:** HIS 381: Survey of Colonial Latin America,
University of Oregon, Winter Qtr, Jan. 4th and Jan. 6th
- 2010 **Graduate Teaching Fellowship**, University of Oregon:
Fall Qtr, Colonial Latin American History;
Spring Qtr, Modern Latin American History, Special Topics;
Winter Qtr, Colonial Latin American History
- Guest Lecture:** Span 318: Spanish Literature, U of Oregon, Fall Qtr, Nov. 3rd:
Bartolomé de Las Casas's *Brevísima relación* as literature
- Guest Lecture:** APHistory Class, Marist Catholic HS, Eugene, Oregon, Sept. 6th.
"Historiography of the Conquest of Mexico"
- 2009 **Graduate Teaching Fellowship**, University of Oregon:
Fall Qtr, U.S. History;
Spring Qtr, Modern Latin America, Special Topics;
Winter Qtr, U.S. History
- Guest Lecture:** EDST 457/557 (Equal Opportunity: Diaspora and Immigration),
U Oregon, Nov. 3rd: "Immigration, Human Rights, and Catholic Social Teaching"
- 2008 **Graduate Teaching Fellowship**, University of Oregon:
Fall Qtr, U.S. History;
Spring Qtr, Western Civilization;
Winter Qtr, Colonial Latin America
- Guest Lecture:** Comparative Literature Class, University of Oregon, Feb. 15th:
Bartolomé de Las Casas's Role in History
- Guest Lecture:** APHistory Class, Marist Catholic HS, Eugene, Oregon, Sept. 9th:
"Historiography of the Conquest of Mexico"
- 2007 **Graduate Teaching Fellowship**, University of Oregon:
Fall Qtr, Colonial Latin America;
Spring Qtr, Modern Latin America;
Winter Qtr, Roman Republic
- 2006 **Guest lecture:** Advanced Spanish Class, **U Portland**, Portland, OR, April 7th:
"Bartolomé de Las Casas's *Brevísima relación de la destrucción de las Indias*"
- 2003 **Guest lecture:** History and Religious Studies students, **Northwest Christian
University**, Eugene, OR, Dec. 5th: Liberation Theology
- Lecture:** **UO Newman Center**, Eugene, OR, May 14th:
Liberation Theology and Social Justice
- 2003-06 UO **Taught classes:** **Newman Center** students preparing for service program;
1998 UW classes focused on Mexican reality and on principles of Catholic Social Teaching

1991 **Taught English** for three months in an Intensive Summer Program for
Secondary School students in **Córdoba, Spain**

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS:

- Article: “Las Casas and Serra: Representing the Beginning and End of the Spanish Colonial Missionary Enterprise”, (Submitted for review for publication in *The Latin Americanist*, July 8, 2012)
- Transcription and Translation: “Parecer de fray Bartolomé de las Casas” in *Voyages of Discovery* by David Boyle. (Accepted for publication in 2011 by Thames & Hudson)
- Article: “Bartolomé de Las Casas and Junípero Serra: the Two Poles of the Evangelization Enterprise.” (Accepted for publication in 2011 by *Anuario Dominicano*, Mexico)
- Transcription and Translation: “Las Casas's Confesionario” in *Political Dissent—A Global Reader, Vol. 1: Ancient to Early-Modern Sources*, ed. Derek Malone-France. (Accepted for publication in 2010 by Rowman & Littlefield Publishers)
- Article: “New Discoveries about an Old Manuscript: The Date, Place of Origin, and Role of the *Parecer de fray Bartolomé de las Casas* in the Making of the New Laws of the Indies.” *Colonial Latin American Historical Review*, 15, 4 (Fall, 2006, published 2010), 419-441.
- Article: “Journey to the Headwaters: Bartolomé de Las Casas in a Comparative Context.” *The Catholic Historical Review*, 95, 1 (2009), 1-24. http://www.muse.uq.edu.au/login?uri=/journals/catholic_historical_review/v095/95.1.orique.html
- Article: “Bartolomé de Las Casas (1484-1566).” *The Literary Encyclopedia*, 7 October 2008. <http://www.litencyc.com/php/speople.php?rec=true&UID=2627>
- Transcription and Translation: “*Parecer* de Fray Bartolomé de las Casas.” *The Jay I. Kislak Collection*, Library of Congress, Fall, 2008. <http://lcweb2.loc.gov/service/service/rbc/rbc0001/2008/2008kislak74376/2008kislak74376.pdf>
- Catalog Entries on Bartolomé de Las Casas: *The Jay I. Kislak Collection of the Library of Congress*, Fall, 2007. [accessible for 3 years] <http://www.loc.gov/rr/rarebook/kislak.html>
<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/service/rbc/rbc0001/2008/2008kislak74376/2008kislak74376.pdf>
(See Las Casas *Parecer* 1542.rtf) <http://lcweb2.loc.gov/service/rbc/rbc0001/2008/2008kislak20219/2008kislak20219.pdf>
- Book Review: Daniel Castro’s, *Another Face of Empire: Bartolomé de Las Casas, Indigenous Rights, and Ecclesiastical Imperialism* (Durham: Duke University Press, 2007). *The Catholic Historical Review*, 94, 3 (2008), 616-617. http://muse.jhu.edu/login?uri=/journals/catholic_historical_review/v094/94.3.orique.html
- Translation: English edition of *Dominicos en Oaxaca: Historia y guía del convento de Santo Domingo*, 2007.
- Manuscript in progress: “The Unheard Voice of Law from the Often-heard Text: A New Rendition of Bartolomé de Las Casas’s *Brevísima relación de la destrucción de las Indias*.”

RESEARCH:

- 2012
July-Aug **Lisbon, Portugal**, Biblioteca Nacional de Portugal.
- 2012
June **Mexico, Querétaro** - conducted primary-source research in the archives of the Mexican Dominican Province; reviewed translation of forthcoming article; consulted with director and staff of Dominican Historical Institute on potential collaborative projects using rare collections and private archives.
- 2010
July-Aug **University of Florida**, Latin American Collection, Smathers Library - conducted primary-source research in archives; consulted with other scholars
- Mexico City, Oaxaca, Puebla, Querétaro** - conducted primary-source research; collaborated on forth-coming journal; consulted with other scholars about future projects; visited important historical and cultural sites
- 2009
Aug **Mexico, Querétaro** - conducted primary-source research in the archives of the Mexican Dominican Province; reviewed translation of forthcoming article; consulted with director and staff of Dominican Historical Institute on potential collaborative projects using rare collections and private archives
- 2009
July **Puerto Rico** - assisted Prof. Edward Cleary, OP (Director, Latin American Studies, Providence College, RI) to conduct research about the development of religious and political movements on the island by interviewing various social scientists, politicians, and ecclesial leaders
- 2008
June-July **Yale University, Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library** – conducted primary-source research on early editions of Las Casas’s 1552 *Brevísima Relación*; surveyed holdings pertinent to dissertation project; consulted with prominent Lascasian scholars
- 2007
mid-Aug-
mid-Oct **Library of Congress, Kislak Collection** - conducted research to determine proper dating of the *Parecer*, a rare Lascasian manuscript; studied with other Fellows; surveyed holdings pertinent to dissertation project; collaborated with Kislak Curator in explicating the historical context of the Latin, German, and French translations of Las Casas’s *Brevísima relación*. <http://www.loc.gov/rr/rarebook/kislak.html>
- 2006
Nov **Mexico, Ciudad Juarez** - visited and observed *Casa de Emigrante*; consulted with migrants and human rights workers
- 2006
Sept **Spain** - researched at the *Archivos de las Indias* (Seville); visited Spanish and Portuguese locations of historical significance to the conquest and colonial Latin America
- 2006
Nov **University of Utah** (Salt Lake City) and the **University of Texas** (Austin) - discussed the Latinization of Salt Lake City and of the State of Utah; conducted library research
- 2006 **Mexican-American Cultural Center**, San Antonio, TX - accompanied Prof.

- mid-April Barbara Bader Aldave, Executive Board Member, to learn about the Center's mission to serve the increasing numbers of Latinos in the U.S. Catholic Church
- 2005-06 Dec-Jan **Chile/Argentina** - assisted Edward Cleary, OP, (Director, Latin American Studies, Providence College, RI) to conduct research in Chile (Ancude, Chiloé, Puerto Montt, and Santiago) as well as in Argentina by interviewing various social scientists, politicians, and ecclesial leaders
- 2005 Aug-Sept **Argentina** - consulted Miguel Petty, SJ, (President, *Universidad Católica de Córdoba*) as well as selected ecclesial leaders and intellectuals in Buenos Aires, San Luis, Mendoza, Tucumán, Salta, and Córdoba; studied contemporary economic, cultural, and political trends
- 2004-05 Dec-Jan **Venezuela** - consulted with selected human rights promoters, political scientists, and other intellectuals in Caracas, Barquisimeto, Barinas, and other sites
- 2004 July **Mexico** - surveyed sites of cultural, economic, and historical import in Vicente Guerrero, Ensenada, and Mexicali to make preliminary preparations for the June 2005 UO Newman Center student service and immersion trip
- 2003-04 Dec-Jan **Brazil** - interviewed Ricardo Razendi Figueira (President of Brazil's Justice and Human Rights Council); interviewed Dom Celso Pereira, OP, Bishop of Toncantee (who collaborated with Bishop Tomás Valdevino, OP, in the founding of *Os Sem Terra*, a movement to assist landless peoples); interviewed Prof. Cecília Mariz, sociologist, *Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro*
- 2003 July **Peru** - interviewed Bishop Lorenzo León (a participant at Vatican II and the CELAM Conferences of Medellín, Puebla, and Santo Domingo); observed the formation process at the Dominican House of Studies; visited the inter-Province (Peru and Ecuador) Novitiate in Cuzco; visited Machu Picchu; interviewed Prof. Jeffery Klaiber, SJ, historian, *Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú*, Lima
- 2002-03 Dec-Jan **Argentina** - evaluated the negative effects of the currency collapse of 2001-02; renewed contacts with Dominican in Buenos Aires; traveled from San Carlos de Bariloche (Argentina) across the Lake Country (the northern part of Patagonia) to Puerto Montt, Chile
- Chile** - interviewed Francisco Quijano, OP, (Director, *Instituto Pedro de Córdoba*, Santiago, which Center specializes in human rights, enculturation and globalization issues); interviewed Bishop Sergio Valech (Auxiliary Bishop of Santiago; important ecclesial figure in the struggle for human rights during the Pinochet dictatorship; Director of the government-appointed 2004 National Commission on Political Imprisonment and Torture; Director of the Archdiocesan Human Rights Office); interviewed Ignacio Walker, (prominent political figure of the Christian Democratic Party, and Minister of Foreign Affairs)
- 2002 July **Ecuador** - interviewed Alejandra Vela (Senator and former President of the *Congreso Nacional*) and, by her personal invitation, observed the Legislative proceedings; interviewed Rosario Utreras (National Director,

Defense of Women, Children and Adolescents); interviewed writers and Indigenous specialists as well as *campesinos* in rural areas; interviewed Juan Bottasso, SDB, (prominent writer and researcher on Indigenous movements)

- 2001-02
Dec-Jan
- Argentina** - interviewed Gabriel M. Nápole, OP, (former Director, *Instituto Pedro de Córdoba*) and Dominic Basso, OP, (former President, *Universidad Católica de Argentina*); consulted with the Argentine Provincial, Javier María Pose, OP; observed the functioning of the House of Studies in Buenos Aires; visited important historical and cultural sites in Buenos Aires; visited the inter-Province (Argentina and Chile) Novitiate in Mar del Plata; witnessed firsthand the currency and economic collapse of 2001-02
- Uruguay** - interviewed Flannan Hynes, OP, (former Latin American *Socius* for the Dominican Order and a consultant on Latin American affairs)
- 2001
July
- Mexico** - visited important cultural and historical sites in Mexico City, Oaxaca, Morelia, and Puebla; interviewed the staff and observed the work of the *Bartolomé de Las Casas Centro de Derechos Humanos* in Chiapas; consulted Dominicans working with Indigenous peoples of Chiapas
- 2001
March
- Brazil** - interviewed Carlos Josaphat Pinto de Oliveira, OP, (prominent writer and theologian); met with the Brazilian Provincial José Fernandes Alves, OP; observed functioning of the House of Studies in São Paulo; visited important historical and cultural sites in Rio de Janeiro; interviewed James Louis Cavallaro and Maria Luisa Mendonça (President and Executive Director, respectively, *Justiça Global*, a human rights action and training movement)
- 1999
Aug-Sept
- Portugal** - studied Portuguese in an 42-hour intensive course at the *Centro de Linguas* in Lisbon; certified by CIAL (International Association of Language Centers), *Instituto de Português*
- 1999
July-Aug
- France, Italy, and Spain** - participated in several cultural study tours
- 1996
- Honduras** - participated in *Praxis y Predicación*, a summer pan-Latin-American Immersion Program for Dominicans (which included lectures on the effects of globalization, neo-liberal economic policies, migration, and *maquiladoras*)
- Guatemala** - studied highland Indigenous at the Centro *Ak'kutan Bartolomé de las Casas* in Coban (the geographic area where Las Casas and his Dominican confreres conducted “peaceful evangelization”)
- El Salvador** - visited the Dominican Novitiate, the *Universidad Centro-americana* (where six Jesuits and two lay women were murdered), the hospital chapel (where Archbishop Oscar Romero was assassinated), and Romero’s tomb at the San Salvador Cathedral
- 1991
- Guatemala** - studied four months with a Guatemalan family in Quetzaltenango as part of an intensive cultural and linguistic immersion experience

CONFERENCES and PRESENTATIONS:

- 2011 **Organized panel** for 500th Anniversary Conference on Universality in Human Rights December 2-4, 2011, Washington, D.C.
- Title of Panel:** Religious Toleration, Historical Narration, and Legal Principles in Bartolomé de Las Casas as well as in the School of Salamanca. and delivered paper “*Vox Legis* in Bartolomé de Las Casas’s *Brevísima Relación de la Destrucción de las Indias*.”
- 2010 Delivered **paper** on “**Bartolomé de Las Casas in the History.**” St. Thomas More Newman Center, Eugene, Oregon, July 12th
- Collaborated in the **2010 Bartolomé de Las Casas Annual Lecture**, Latin American Studies Program, **University of Oregon**, May 20th; Elena Poniatowska: "Mexican Literature that Rises from the Streets"; effected co-sponsorship of Newman Center; organized private reception for Poniatowska at the Center
- 2009 Delivered **paper** on “**The Unheard Voice of Law from the Often-heard Text: A New Rendition of Bartolomé de Las Casas’s *Brevísima relación de la destrucción de las Indias*. Conference** on Missions, Law, and Custom, **Yale-Edinburgh Group** on the History of the Missionary Movement and Non-Western Christianity. **Yale Divinity School**, July 2nd – 4th
- 2008 Delivered **paper** on “**The Unheard Voice of Law from the Often-heard Text: A New Rendition of Bartolomé de Las Casas’s *Brevísima relación de la destrucción de las Indias*. History Forum, California State University, Bakersfield**, September 19th. <http://www.csub.edu/history/newsSpr08/HFfall08.htm>
- Presented research** on Bartolomé de Las Casas with Prof. José Cardenas Bunsen (Bucknell University, PA), and with Prof. Rolena Adorno (Yale University) as panel discussant. **St. Mary’s Church (Yale campus)**, New Haven, CT, July 7th
- Delivered **paper** on the “**Journey to the Headwaters: Bartolomé de Las Casas’s Theological Voice in a Comparative Context.**” St. Joseph Lecture Series, **Providence College**, Providence, RI, March 13th. <http://www.dominicanfriars.org/2008/03/03/07/bartolome-de-las-casas/>
- Participated by invitation in the **ecclesial canonization process of Bartolomé de Las Casas**; submitted detailed responses in Spanish to a lengthy questionnaire
- 2007 Delivered **paper** on “**What Seemed to be or not to be a 1528 Letter of Bartolomé de Las Casas to Charles V: Historiographical Opinions about the *Parecer*,**” **Library of Congress, Kluge Center**, Oct. 18th. <http://www.loc.gov/loc/kluge/news/news-orique.html>
- Delivered **paper** on “**The Unheard Voice of Law from the Often-heard Text: A New Rendition of Bartolomé de Las Casas’s *Brevísima relación de la destrucción de las Indias*, Department of Modern Languages & Literatures, Catholic University of America**, Sept. 26th. <http://modernlanguages.cua.edu/res/docs/news/event07.pdf>
- Delivered **paper** on “**Journey to the Headwaters: Bartolomé de Las Casas’s Theological Voice in a Comparative Context,**” 9th Annual History Graduate Student Symposium: Historical Voices of Change, **California State University, Fresno**, April 27th

- Delivered **paper** on “**Journey to the Headwaters: Bartolomé de Las Casas in a Comparative Context**,” 16th Annual Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque Interdisciplinary Symposium, **University of Miami**, Feb. 23rd
http://www.as.miami.edu/calendar/attachments/ml1/MRB%20Program%20for%20web_2007-02-23.doc
- 2006 Delivered and discussed **paper** on “**What Drove Bartolomé de Las Casas? Missionary Theology in Comparative Context**,” Current Research Conference, Department of History, **University of Oregon**, May 27th
- 2005 Collaborated in the **2005 Bartolomé de Las Casas Annual Lecture**, Latin American Studies Program, **University of Oregon**, Oct. 19th; secured the guest speaker, **Bishop Samuel Ruíz García**, Bishop Emeritus, Chiapas, Mexico; effected co-sponsorship of UO Newman Center for this event; organized an **Open Forum** for Bishop Ruíz at the Newman Center, Oct. 20th
- Collaborated and participated in the **Peace and Justice Symposium, *Smoldering Ashes: Revisiting the Legacy of the Cold War in Central America***, Latin American Studies Program, **University of Oregon**, May 5th-7th; secured keynote speaker, **Bishop Raúl Vera López, OP**, Saltillo, Mexico; effected the co-sponsorship of the UO Newman Center for the symposium; participated in a panel on *Human Rights in Central America: Traditions of Solidarity and Resistance*; delivered and discussed paper on “**Flames of Prophetic Religious Activism: Legacies and Lessons**”; organized an **Open Forum** and Reception for Bishop Vera at the Newman Center, May 7th
<http://las.uoregon.edu/Smoldering%20Ashes/smoldering.html>
- 2004 Collaborated in the **2004 Bartolomé de Las Casas Annual Lecture**, Latin American Studies Program, **University of Oregon**, Nov. 18th; secured the guest speaker, **Gustavo Gutiérrez, OP**; effected co-sponsorship of the UO Newman Center for this event; organized an **Open Forum** and Reception for Gutiérrez at Newman Center, Nov. 19th
- Collaborated in the **35th Annual Chi Rho Lecture Series**, on *Paul the Apostle: Liberator or Oppressor*: Weekend of Study with theologian Luke Timothy Johnson, PhD, (Emory University). Central Lutheran Church and UO Newman Center, Oct. 22nd – 24th
- Co-organized the **First Annual Faculty Forum** on *Faith and Academia* at UO Newman Center, May 14th
- 2003 Presented a **paper** on “*Fray Bartolomé de las Casas: Liberación de los Oprimidos*” in Workshop Session 6 at the 2nd Annual *Mictlampa Cihuatlampa*, **MEChA Regional Statewide Conference, University of Oregon**, Feb 7th – 9th
- Presented the Catholic Perspective in a **Panel Discussion** on “*Abortion and Society*,” Honors Halls Speaker Series, **University of Oregon Honors College**, Jan. 29th
- 1998 Presented a **paper** on “*Bartolomé de las Casas: Liberación de los Oprimidos*” to students of the Latin American Studies Program, Jackson School of International Studies, **University of Washington**, Apr. 29th, as well as participated as a **panelist** and **discussant** in their **Roundtable Discussion** on “The Pope’s Visit to Cuba,” Feb. 18th

ACTIVITIES and PROJECTS related to LATINO-LUSO PEOPLES:

- 2001-to date Consultant for **Oral History Project** about the Portuguese Community of California conducted by the Regional Oral History Office, **Bancroft Library**, UC Berkeley. [http://bancroft.berkeley.edu/ROHO/ /projects/portuguese/](http://bancroft.berkeley.edu/ROHO/projects/portuguese/)
- 2005 Participated with Latin American scholars in **Talk Radio discussions** on Liberation Theology (Oct. 19th) and on the Virgin of Guadalupe (Dec. 13th), **KOPT 1600 AM**, Eugene, OR
- 2004-05 Member of the **Audience Development Committee** for the 2005 **Oregon Bach Festival** (the Northwest Premiere of Osvaldo Golijov's *La Pasión Según San Marcos*, June 23rd – 24th) with specific responsibility of collaborating with local religious and *Latino* organizations. <http://www.osvaldogolijov.com/wd1a.htm>
- 2003-08,
1998 **Mexico Mission Trips:** Director and organizer of, as well as participant in **historical, cultural, linguistic, and social justice immersion experiences** for Newman Center university students during Spring Break; three months of initial organizing, fundraising, teambuilding, etc. <http://www.sentinel.org/node/493>
- 2008 **Vicente Guerrero, Baja California, Mexico, July 28th – August 7th.**
Eleven-person team of parishioners participated in the “**Solidarity in Service**” Mexico Mission Trip; met with migrant workers, assisted in several construction projects, visited various cultural sites, and studied issues related to trade and labor
- 2006 **Vicente Guerrero, Baja California, Mexico, March 24th – April 1st.**
Thirty-seven students from the University of Oregon and six parishioners participated in the “**The Building of International Community**” Mexico Mission Trip; met with migrant workers, assisted in several construction projects, visited various cultural sites, and studied trade and labor issues
- 2005 **Vicente Guerrero, Baja California, Mexico, June 13th – 25th.**
Thirty-three students from the University of Oregon and six parishioners participated in the “**Incarnating Justice**” Mexico Mission Trip; met with migrant workers and assisted in several community construction projects
- 2004 **Vicente Guerrero, Baja California, Mexico, Mar. 19th – 27th.**
Thirty-eight students from the University of Oregon and six parishioners participated in the “**Partners in Mission**” Mexico Mission Trip; visited migrant labor camps and laid a foundation for a community building
- 2003 **Vicente Guerrero, Baja California, Mexico, Mar. 21st – 28th.**
Thirty-one students from the University of Oregon participated in the “**We Go as Seekers**” Mexico Mission Trip; visited migrant work camps, and built a steel and cement foundation for an area chapel
- 1998 **Mexicali, Baja California, Mexico, Mar. 21st – 28th.**
Seventeen students from the University of Washington participated in “**The Word in Action**” Mexico Mission Trip; visited various work camps, *maquiladoras*, food projects; engaged in discussions on border issues, and worked with *barrio* youth

- 2000 Participant in a **Spring Outreach-to-Southern-Spain Project**, a week of service in rural communities near **Granada, Spain**
- 1995 Participant in a **Summer Immersion and Service Experience**, working with **Latino** immigrant and anti-gang programs in the inner city of **Chicago, IL**
- 1986-87 Translator for the **Amnesty Program for Latino Immigrants, Merced, CA**

LANGUAGE COMPETENCIES:

Speaking, reading, and writing in English, Spanish, and Portuguese, as well as reading in Latin.

SCHOLARSHIPS and AWARDS:

- 2012 **Luso-American Development Foundation**, Bolsas de Investigaçãõ, Biblioteca Nacional Portugal
- 2010 **Richard Maxwell Brown Award** (Mexico), UO History Department.
- 2010 **PhD Research Grant** (University of Florida), UO History Department.
- 2009 **PhD Research Grant** (Mexico), UO History Department.
- 2008 **Maxwell Angus Award** (Yale), UO History Department.
Summer Research Grant (Yale), UO History Department.
- 2007 **Kislak Short Term Fellowship**, Library of Congress, Kluge Center.
Special Research Award (Library of Congress), UO History Department.
- 2007 **Graduate Teaching Fellowships**, UO History Department.
to date
- 1999 **D'Onofrio Academic Achievement Scholarship** (highest GPA), Dominican School of Philosophy and Theology, Berkeley, CA, AY 1998-99.
- 1999 **Luso-American Educational Foundation Annual Studies Scholarship** (*Luso-American students of promise*), Bay Area, CA.
- 1987 **Bank of America Yes You Can Award** (excellent service/performance), Fresno, CA.

MEMBERSHIPS:

American Historical Association
American Catholic Historical Association
Latin American Studies Association
Conference on Latin American History
Oregon Catholic Historical Society
Catholic Campus Ministry Association
Order of Preachers (Dominican Friars)