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CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

University of California, Santa Barbara, CA

Ph.D. in Hispanic Studies (Luso-Brazilian Literature and Cultures) 2010-2014
Dissertation: *The Devil in the Brazilian Backlands, Representations of the Devil in the Narrative of Canudos (1896-1897)*
Ph.D. Advisor: Élide Valarini Oliver
Ph.D. Emphasis in Applied Linguistics, Research project on Task-based Language Assessment – Linguistics Advisor: Dorothy Chun

University of California, Santa Barbara, CA

Graduate Certificate in College and University Teaching (CCUT) 2014

Brigham Young University, Provo, UT

M.A. in Luso-Brazilian Studies 2003-2005
Dissertation: *A Função de Cristo na Literatura Pessoana*
MA Advisor: Christopher Lund

Brigham Young University, Provo, UT

Graduate Certificate in TESOL with an Emphasis in *Teaching Culture* 2005-2006

Universidade do Vale do Itajaí, Santa Catarina (Brazil)

B.A. in Tourism and Hospitality 1995-1999

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Teaching Professor, Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies 2025-present
Associate Teaching Professor, Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies 2020-2025
Lecturer, Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies 2015-2019

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT

Port 110 Accelerated Introductory Portuguese
 Port 103 Elementary Portuguese
 Port 105 Intensive Portuguese for Spanish Speakers
 Port 201 Intermediate Portuguese
 Port 202 Intermediate Portuguese
 Port 203 Intermediate Portuguese
 Port 299 Foreign Study: Intermediate
 Port 301 Advanced Portuguese
 Port 310 Introduction to Luso-Brazilian Literature (taught in Portuguese)
 Port 365/JSIS A 365 Mapping Luso-Brazilian Cultures (taught in English)
 Port 370 Art, Activism and the Environment in Brazil (taught in English)
 Port 390 Supervised Study
 Span 101 Elementary Spanish
 Hum 101 – Introduction to Humanities

OTHER ROLES

Coordination of the Portuguese Program	2015 - present
Organization of Study Abroad Programs to Brazil	2016-19, 2023 2025, 2026
Lead instructor for the Summer Camp on Cybersecurity and Portuguese for high school students (GenCyber Online Program)	Summer 2021
Lead instructor for the Summer STARTALK Program for high school students: Portuguese through STEM	Summer 2017

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA

Lecturer, Department of Spanish and Portuguese	Win-Sum. 2015
Teaching Assistant, Department of Spanish and Portuguese	2010-2014
Taught first and second-year Portuguese classes, and first-year Spanish classes	
Acted as lead-instructor for language classes in Spanish and Portuguese	2013

ILAC – INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE ACADEMY OF CANADA

English as a Second Language (ESL) instructor	2007-2009
Taught beginning and intermediate ESL classes	
Conducted professional development workshops on ESL	2008-2009

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY

Teaching Assistant, Department of Spanish and Portuguese	2003-2006
Taught first, second, and third-year Portuguese language classes	
Visiting Professor, Department of Spanish and Portuguese	Winter 2007
Taught ESL grammar classes and Brazilian Literature in Portuguese	

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

Lecturer, Department of Romance Languages	2005-2006
Taught first, second, and third year Portuguese classes, in addition to classes on Brazilian Literature and a class on Contemporary Issues of Brazil	

SALT LAKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Lecturer, Department of Romance Languages
Taught first and second-year Portuguese classes

Fall 2006

PUBLICATIONS

ELECTRONIC TEXTBOOKS

Tarango, Alexa; **Viana da Silva, Eduardo et. al.** *Ecoart: Art, Activism, and the Environment in Brazil*. Press Books, U. of Washington Libraries, (on-going project), 2025
<https://uw.pressbooks.pub/ecoart/>

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. *Bate-Papo: An introduction to Portuguese*. Press Books, U. of Washington Libraries, (on-going project). 2018. 499 pp.
<https://uw.pressbooks.pub/batepapo/>

BOOK EDITIONS

Azeredo Cerqueira, Flávia, **Viana da Silva, Eduardo**, and Kleber Aparecido da Silva (eds.)
Diálogos: Práticas Pedagógicas e Perspectivas do Ensino de PLA. [Forthcoming]
Pontes Editores, 2026

Silva, Kleber and **Eduardo Viana da Silva** (eds.) *Conexões: O ensino de português nos Estados Unidos*. Editora Mercado de Letras, 2023. 372 pp.

Hough-Snee, Dexter and **Eduardo Viana da Silva** (eds.) *Estudios de sátira hispanoamericana colonial & Estudos da sátira do Brasil-Colônia. "De estranhos casos que jamais pintaram" a "despoblados extensos"*. Vuert-Iberoamericana, 2015. 310 pp.

BOOKS (assistant to the editor)

Games of chance and other Portuguese stories, João Camilo dos Santos (ed.), **Eduardo Viana da Silva** (assistant to the editor), Center for Portuguese Studies, UCSB, 2015. 144 pp.

Santa Barbara Portuguese Studies Vol. XI – Narrativas Ibéricas, João Camilo dos Santos (ed.), **Eduardo Viana da Silva** (assistant to the editor), Center for Portuguese Studies, UCSB, 2012. 368 pp.

Monteiro, Domingos. *The most beautiful woman in Spain and other stories*, João Camilo dos Santos (ed.), **Eduardo Viana da Silva** (assistant to the editor). Center for Portuguese Studies, UCSB, 2012. 113 pp.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- Azeredo Cerqueira, Flávia and **Viana da Silva, Eduardo**. “Language Justice and Linguistic Rights of Indigenous Peoples in Brazil” **[Forthcoming]**. *The Routledge Handbook of Language, Race, and Social Justice in the Global South(s)*. Eds. Zhongfeng Tian and Kleber Aparecido da Silva. Routledge, 2026.
- Viana da Silva, Eduardo**. “O Ensino do Português no Contexto das Mudanças Climáticas e da Amazônia” **[Forthcoming]**. In: *Neuere Tendenzen der Sprachendidaktik (Herkunftssprachen, Zweitsprachen, Fremdsprachen) in Deutschland und Brasilien im inter- und transkulturellen Dialog*. Eds. Rodrigo Schaeffer and Daniel Reimann, 2026.
- Azeredo Cerqueira, Flávia and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “Intermediate level writing in Portuguese and the roles of creativity and GenAI.” *Sentinent Books: AI’s Impact on Creation*. Eds. Sandra Souza and Susana Antunes. Quod Manet, 2025.
- Viana da Silva, Eduardo**. “Learning Portuguese in the context of climate change and the Amazon”. *The Routledge Handbook of the Sociopolitical Context of Language Learning* (Eds. Chris Shei and Der-lin Chao). Routledge, 2025.
- Silva, Gláucia; Soares, Cristiane; and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “Teaching practices of inclusive language in Portuguese.” Padilla et. al. *Rethinking Representations, Inclusion and Social Justice in World Language Teaching: Insights for research and Pedagogy*. Routledge, 2024. pp. 51-70
- Salomão, Ana and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “Words out of feelings – Global competence and emotional intelligence in a virtual exchange.” Montaner-Villalba, Salvador et al. *Telecollaboration Applications in Foreign Language Classrooms*. IGI Global, 2023. pp. 182-203. DOI: 10.4018/978-1-6684-7080-0
- Viana da Silva, Eduardo**. “A game-changer: Open Educational Resources (OERs) in the teaching of Portuguese” *Portuguese as an Additional Language (PAL): Linguistic and Pedagogical Approaches*. Lexington Books, 2023. pp. 163-183
- Viana da Silva, Eduardo** and Ana Cristina B. Salomão. “Taking action in a virtual exchange with Brazilian and U.S. students” *Virtual Exchange as a way to support SLA: Studies on language learning through online interaction*. De Gruyter, *Trends in Applied Linguistics Series*, 2022. pp. 161-188. <https://doi.org/10.1515/9783110727364-toc>
- Viana da Silva, Eduardo** and Carlos Pio. “Open and inclusionary narratives in the design of a Portuguese e-textbook.” *New Case Studies of Openness in the Language Classroom*. Research-Publishing.Net, vol. 2, 2019. pp. 11-22. DOI: 10.14705/rpnet.2019.37.963
- Viana da Silva, Eduardo**. “A Sátira e a intertextualidade em *Cartas Chilenas e Cartas Persas*,” *Estudios de sátira hispanoamericana colonial & Estudios da sátira do Brasil-Colônia. "De estranhos casos que jamais pintaram" a "despoblados extensos."* Vuert-Iberoamericana, 2015. pp. 271-290

SPECIAL JOURNAL ISSUE

Amezcuca, Angélica; Dobao, Ana; and **Eduardo Viana da Silva** (Eds). Inaugural Issue of *Revista Luso-Hispánica*. American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP), vol 1. no. 1, 2024. <https://www.aatsp.org/page/RLH>

Viana da Silva, Eduardo, Kleber Aparecido da Silva and Ana Salomão (eds.) *Educação linguística e cultural mediada por tecnologias digitais*, *Revista Texto Livro*, Federal Universtiy of Minas Gerais, vol. 17, 2024.
<https://periodicos.ufmg.br/index.php/textolivre/issue/view/2133>

Silva, Kleber and **Eduardo Viana da Silva** (eds.) *Cidadania Global em aulas de Português como Língua Adicional*. *Revista Linguagem & Ensino*, Universidade Federal de Pelotas, vol. 24, no. 2, 2021. pp. 149-376.
<https://periodicos.ufpel.edu.br/ojs2/index.php/rle/article/view/20790>

Landolfi, Fernanda, Cibelle da Silva Santiago, **Eduardo Viana da Silva**, and Janaynna de Moura Ferraz (eds.) *As transformações no mundo do trabalho*. *SCRIBES, Brazilian Journal of Management and Secretarial Studies*, vol. 2, no 1, 2021.
<https://periodicos.ufv.br/SCRIBES/issue/view/467>

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

Azeredo Cerqueira, Flávia and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “Bodies, Rivers, and Silence: Gendered Ecologies in *Manas* (2024)” [Forthcoming] (Eds. Susana Antunes and Claudia M. Páez Lotero). *Ecozon@*, 2027.

Viana da Silva, Eduardo and Flávia Azeredo Cerqueira. “O multilinguismo bué complexo dos países lusófonos.” *Dossiê Educação Linguística Crítica: saberes, práticas e resistências*. (Eds. Susana Antunes et. al.). Fórum Linguístico, 2026. pp. 1-17.
<https://periodicos.ufsc.br/index.php/forum/article/view/108071/61410>

Viana da Silva, Eduardo and Rosa Machado Torrico. "Portuguese as an Additional Language and Cybersecurity – A pilot course" *Portuguese Language Journal*. vol.16, 2022. pp.1-22. <https://doi.org/10.56515/PLJ562476673>

Yaden, Bridget and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “O papel da proficiência em programas de Português como Língua Estrangeira” *Hispania*, vol.103, no. 4, 2020. pp. 461-74.

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. “iPractice for oral interviews: The use of technology to reduce the anxiety of students of Portuguese as an Additional Language (PAL)” *Revista Letras Raras*, vol. 9, no. 4, 2020, pp. 11-29.
doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.35572/rlr.v9i5.1933>

Myer, Justine and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “Promoting attitudes of openness: Intercultural Communicative Competence in a Brazilian-American university exchange” *Portuguese Language Journal*. vol.14, 2020. pp. 28-47.
<https://portugueselanguagejournal.com/index.php/home/article/view/43/36>

Salomão, Ana C. B. and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “The application of the Global Competence Matrix in a Virtual Exchange program with U.S. and Brazilian students” University of Groningen P.: *Journal of Virtual Exchange*, vol. 3, 2020, pp. 1-12.
<https://doi.org/10.21827/jve.3.35804>

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. “Business Portuguese in the age of digital instruction” *LSP Vectors: Strengthening Interdisciplinary Connections. Global Business Language Journal*, vol. 20, 2020, pp. 41-52. doi: <https://doi.org/10.4079/gbl.v20.3>

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. "Uma metodologia alternativa para cursos de português na área de CTEM (Ciência, Tecnologia, Engenharia e Matemática) para falantes de espanhol e de português." *Portuguese Language Journal*. vol.12, 2018, pp. 40-70.

Abramova, Svetlana; Aoki, Michele; **Viana da Silva, Eduardo**; and Bridget Yaden. “Getting to advanced: Challenging Heritage Language Learners to step outside their comfort zone” *The Language Educator*, vol. 8, no. 3, 2018. pp. 37-40.

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. “Um zoológico de significados, A função dos animais em alguns textos de Machado de Assis.” *Machado em linha*, vol. 9, 2012. pp. 122-137.

NON-REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

Salomão, Ana C. B. and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “Language Learning and Cultural Exchange in Tandem: The case of UNEP and UW.” *Proceedings of the International Virtual Exchange Conference*, 2019. pp. 51-55. <https://iveconference.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/IVEC-2019-Conference-Proceedings.pdf>

Kinzer, Kent and **Eduardo Viana da Silva**. “Portuguese on the sound” *Language Magazine, The Journal of Communication and Education*, vol. 15, no. 11, 2016.

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. “Quem dá as ordens? A imagem transnacional da mulher brasileira em *Dona Flor, Gabriela e Tieta*”. *Proceedings of the VII Graduate Student Conference*, UCLA Department of Spanish and Portuguese, UC e-scholarship, 2012. pp. 33-49.

BOOKS AND WEB-SITE REVIEWS

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. “Review of the Global Language Online Support System (GLOSS) from the Defense Language Institute (DLI) Foreign Language Center” <http://gloss.dliflc.edu>, *Portuguese Language Journal*, vol. 7, 2013. pp. 1-2

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. “Review of *Português Descomplicado*. (6th Ed.). Editora Saraiva, 2009.” *Portuguese Language Journal*, vol. 7, 2013. pp.1-2

Viana da Silva, Eduardo. “Review of *Becoming Visible. Women’s Presence in Late Nineteenth Century America*. Rodopi, 2010.” *Pennsylvania Literary Journal*, Spring 2011. pp. 90-94

TRANSLATION

Cairus, José Tufy. “The Malê Rebellion as Debated by Brazil’s Press, 1835-1838” (trans. **Eduardo Viana da Silva**), *The Middle East and Brazil, Perspectives on the New Global South*. Paul Amar (ed.), Indiana University P., 2014. pp. 182-198.

APPLIED LINGUISTIC PROJECTS AND TRAINING

"Creativity in the Language Classroom: Fostering Student Learning Through Creative Language Experiences" - Center for Academic Research in Language Acquisition (CARLA), University of Minnesota. June 23-37, 2025.

<https://carla.umn.edu/institutes/2025/creativity>

UW Language Pedagogy Circle – Created this initiative with colleagues Irina Markina from French and Italian Studies and Russel Hugo from the UW Language Learning Center to discuss teaching practices and research with UW faculty in languages. Co-organized the Meet-and-greet event on October 15, 2024 and October 19, 2023. Co-facilitated the discussion of the article “A study of meaning-focused and form-focused tasks on L2 vocabulary” on November 16h, 2023 and the article "Moving Toward multiliteracies in foreign language teaching: Past and present perspectives...and beyond." on February 21, 2024.

Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) Workshop – ACTFL Connects, Conducted a 2-day workshop for Portuguese at Sanford University. April, 2022.

Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) Workshop - American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL), Conducted a 4-day workshop for 10 Portuguese instructors at the University of Texas at Austin, January 20-24, 2019.

Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) Trainer in Portuguese – American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL), Training done at University of Washington, June 2017, and the University of Texas at Austin, June 2018.

Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) Tester in Portuguese – Full certification – American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL), Training done at University of Southern California, certification valid until March, 2023.

Open Access and Open Social Scholarship Participation Certificate – A 5-day intensive workshop at the Digital Humanities Summer Institute, University of Victoria, Canada, June 2018.

Assessment of Performance toward Proficiency in Languages (AAPPL) – Training: Participation in a training to become a rater for the AAPPL Portuguese test. American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages, Online Training, Oct-Nov, 2017.

STARTALK Lead-Instructor: “Portuguese through STEM and Project-Based Learning” – Course funded by the U.S. Department of Education. Designed a course for a mixed language group of high school students, Spanish and Portuguese speakers. Summer 2017. Language Learning Center, University of Washington

STARTALK Performance Assessment Training Program – Certificate from the Center for Applied Linguistics (CAL), Washington D.C. June-July, 2017 (6 weeks of online course and 3 days of a face-to-face workshop at the CAL in D.C. June 19-21, 2017.

STARTALK Teachers Program – Collaborated with the training of six Portuguese Instructors. Project Funded by the U.S. Department of Education. Language Learning Center, University of Washington, Summer 2016.

STARTALK Conferences (Participation only) – Participated in two conferences with the STARTALK Team from the Language Learning Center at University of Washington Minneapolis, April 2016 and Atlanta, October 2016.

Online Modules for Portuguese Classes. Coordinated the development of online activities for Portuguese language classes in collaboration with 2 project assistants. Project funded by the Center for Global Studies and the Center for Western European Studies at the University of Washington, (\$ 6,000 budget), March and April, 2016.

Emphasis in Applied Linguistics Certificate, Department of Applied Linguistics in conjunction with the Department of Spanish and Portuguese, University of California Santa Barbara, December 2014.

Portuguese Corpus Data – www.corpusdoportugues.org
Project funded by NEH (United States National Endowment for the Humanities) coordinated by Mark Davies, Brigham Young University, Summer 2005
Work involved the annotation of forms in older texts of Portuguese and Identification of Modern Portuguese Equivalent for 20,000 words.

Contributor and co-founder of the wikispace – Espaço Português Língua Estrangeira – An online activities bank for instructors of Portuguese – www.espacople.wikispaces.com

Proofreader for the workbook *Ponto de Encontro* (2nd Edition) – Online Work lab Activities Brazilian Portuguese (Units 7-12) – Pearson Education, Summer 2012.

INITIATIVES IN INTERCULTURAL COMPETENCE

Collaboration with NGO FIUTS – Foundation for International Understanding Through Students – Organize in-person visits of students from Mozambique and Angola to the Portuguese language classes every Winter quarter since 2016 to present.

Virtual exchange with students and professors in the Pantanal region of Brazil – Co-organized this online exchange with Professor José Paulo Gutierrez from the Human Rights Center at Universidade Federal do Mato Grosso do Sul (UFMS) and his students in Law and Human Rights with UW Portuguese Students – Every Winter quarter since 2020 to present.

Teletandem – Organization of an Online Cultural and Linguistic Exchange with university students in Brazil. UNESP – Universidade Estadual Paulista and University of Washington, Fall 2015 to present. (Expansion of the Program to all Portuguese classes during Fall and Spring quarters)

Dux-UW Bridge Mentorship – Organization of an Online Cultural and Linguistic Exchange with high school students in Brazil – Project approved by the Office of Risk Services at the University of Washington, winter quarters of 2016-2019, Dux Institute (Rio de Janeiro) and University of Washington.

Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) with students in Mozambique. Initiative funded by the Jackson School of International Studies, UW, and part of the general education class “Mapping Luso-Brazilian Cultures,” Spring 2017

Committee Member for the Ottenberg-Winans Fellowship Fund – Selection of applicants for a fellowship to do research in Africa. African Studies, University of Washington, Spring 2017.

Certificate in College and University Teaching (CCUT), Instructional Development, University of California Santa Barbara, December 2014

“Who is right? The Fine Line Between Bringing Awareness and Cultural Imposition.” Co-writing of an article presented by Chris-Anne Stumpf and Maria Salampassis at the WEFLA 2010, Seventh International Conference on Foreign Languages, Communication & Culture and the Fourth International Seminar on Canadian Studies. University of Holguín, Cuba. April 21 - 23, 2010.

PARTICIPATION IN CONFERENCES AND COLLOQUIA

2026

[Forthcoming] “O multilinguismo bué complexo dos países lusófonos”. Co-presenter: Flávia Azeredo Cerqueira. Kansas University, American Association of Teachers of Portuguese, June 12-13, 2026.

“Ice-breakers for language courses” Co-presenter: Irina Markina. Pedagogy Language Circle. University of Washington Language Learning Center, Autumn Meet and Greet, Jan 21, 2026.

2025

“Warm-up Activity” - National Teach Portuguese Week (online), AATSP and AOTP, Nov 5, 2025

“Ice-breakers for language courses” Co-presenter: Irina Markina. Pedagogy Language Circle. University of Washington Language Learning Center, Autumn Meet and Greet, Oct 22, 2025.

"Arte, Ativismo e o Meio-Ambiente no Brasil: Projeto de um Livro Eletrônico Aberto" - Co-presentation with Cecilia Beltrán Rodríguez from the University of Washington. XXII Congresso Internacional de Direitos Humanos. Universidade Federal do Mato Grosso do Sul, August 21, 2025.

“Global Competence and Emotional Intelligence in a Virtual Exchange Program” Co-presentation with Ana C. Biondo Salomão from UNESP. International Meeting on Foreign Language Learning in Tandem. Pachuca, Mexico. (Online presentation). March 28, 2025.

2024

“Roundtable: Inclusion in the Language Classroom through Visual Arts”. Co-organization of Roundtable with Carlos Pio from UPenn. ACTFL Connects, Philadelphia, Nov 22, 2024.

“Learning Portuguese in the Context of Climate Change and the Amazon”. *Tendências recentes em didática de línguas (línguas de herança, segundas línguas, línguas estrangeiras) na Alemanha e no Brasil: diálogos (inter)transculturais*. Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, (Online presentation), November 13, 2024

“Portuguese Advocacy Session Roundtable.” Organized by Mércia Flannery. Panel member representing the UW Portuguese Program. American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP), Portland, OR, June 29, 2024.

“Roundtable: Learning Portuguese in the Context of Climate Change and the Amazon.” Organizer. American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP), Portland, OR, June 29, 2024.

Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) Workshop. Participation in panel with five other UW faculty. UW Bothell. (Online presentation). March 8, 2024.

“Moving towards multiliteracies in foreign language Teaching.” Co-facilitation of article discussion with Irina Markina and Russell Hugo. Language Pedagogy Circle. Language Learning Center. UW Seattle, February 21, 2024.

2023

“Creating an OER e-textbook for Portuguese.” Language Educator Summits. UW Language Learning Center, December 10th, 2023.

“A study of meaning-focused and form-focused tasks on L2 vocabulary acquisition of low and intermediate levels”. Co-facilitation of article discussion with Irina Markina and Russell Hugo. Language Pedagogy Circle. Language Learning Center. UW Seattle, November 16, 2023.

“Creating a community of learners.” Washington Association for Language Teaching. Mount Vernon High School, WA. October 14-15, 2023.

“Bate-Papo, an OER textbook that includes non-binary Portuguese”, Gender-inclusive Language Instruction Conference. (Online presentation). University of Southern California, March 31st 2023.

“Interaction of Business Professionals with Portuguese Language Students for Enhanced Learning” - Teaching of Portuguese K-16: Approaches and Methodologies for the 21st Century (Online Presentation), Florida International University, Modesto Maidique Campus, February 25th, 2023.

“GenCyber 2021 – The role of translanguaging in Language for Specific Purposes (LSP). Heritage Language Symposium, (Online presentation), Seattle, February 4th, 2023.

2022

Round-table (Invited presentation): “O ensino de português para estrangeiros e o lugar do Teletandem.” Uma década de Teletandem Araraquara: Trajetória e Reflexões. State University of São Paulo (UNESP) – Online - October 5th, 2022.

“Differentiated tasks in a class for Second Language speakers and Heritage Language speakers of Portuguese and Spanish.” (Invited presentation). Heritage Language Workshop. Romanian Association of Language Teachers.” (Online), September 10th, 2022.

“Taking action in a virtual exchange with Brazilian and U.S. students” – Co-presented with Ana Salomão – XI Encontro Mundial do Ensino de Português (EMP), Harvard University, August 5-6th, 2022.

Discussion panel: “Teacher Attitudes, Experiences, and Strategies towards Gender-Inclusive Language Across Languages” (Invited presentation). American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP) and Avant Assessment. (online) April 6th, 2022.

“*Bate-Papo: An Inclusionary Open Textbook for Portuguese.*” 2022 Language Open Educational Resources Conference. (online) - March 5th, 2022

“GenCyber 2021 - Scaffolding for Heritage Portuguese and Spanish Speakers to Learn New Content” (co presenter: Rosa Machado Torrico and Heloísa Machado). Heritage Language Symposium, (Online presentation), Seattle, February 13th, 2022.

“GenCyber 2021 – Introduction to Cybersecurity and Portuguese Language Summer Camp” (Co-presenter Rosa Machado Torrico). [Pre-recorded Presentation](#). Heritage Language Symposium, (Online presentation), Seattle, February, 2022.

“GenCyber 2021 – Teaching Portuguese to Spanish Speakers” (Co-presenter Heloísa Machado). Pre-recorded Presentation. [Pre-recorded Presentation](#). Heritage Language Symposium, (Online presentation), Seattle, February, 2022.

2021

“Inclusive Language Across Latin America: Portuguese” (Panel participation online), Center for Latin American Studies, Ohio State University, November 2nd, 2021.

“O Pretuguês Brasileiro”, X Encontro Mundial do Ensino de Português (EMP), (Online), August 7th, 2021.

“Developing an Open and Inclusionary Language Textbook” Speaking of Language podcast, episode 123, Cornell University Language Resource Center, May 11, 2021.

“Introduction to Lusophone Literature” Global Literatures & Global Literacies Symposium (Online), University of Washington, April 30th, 2021.

Talk about History and Culture of Portugal, Foster School of Business, MBA Program. Co-presenter: Carlos Pio. (Online), University of Washington, March 2021

2020

“The Development of an Inclusionary Open Textbook for Portuguese.” American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) Convention 2020. Pre-recorded online presentation, November 2020.

“Global Citizenship in the 21st language classroom.” Keynote address for the Washington Association for Language Teaching (WAFLT). Remote presentation, October 2020.

“A aplicação da Matriz de Competência Global em programas de Intercâmbio Virtual” Portuguese Advocacy Meeting, American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP), Webinar, August 13, 2020.

“Prioritizing diversity and inclusion in course design,” (co-presenter: Carlos Pio). Curriculum development and teaching practices. Atlanta Global Studies Center and the Consortium of Universities in Georgia, Webinar. July 15, 2020.

“Authoring open textbooks panel session,” Open Education Week. University of Washington Libraries, Seattle, March 4, 2020.

“Introduction to Cybersecurity in a Language Summer Camp for High School Students.” (co presenter: Michele Aoki). Heritage Language Symposium, Seattle, February 22, 2020.

“Panel with Heritage Language Learners of Indigenous Languages” – Conducted a panel discussion in collaboration with María Gillman with 3 heritage speakers of Indigenous languages: Mixtec and Yucatec Maya. Heritage Language Symposium, Seattle, February 22, 2020.

“Creating Inclusive Open Sources for Language Learning” (co-presenter: Carlos Pio), Center for Open Educational Resources and Language Learning (COERLL), University of Texas, Austin, Webinar, February 19, 2020.

“An Inclusionary Open-Access Textbook for Portuguese: Bate-Papo” (Co-presenter: Justine Meyr, Modern Language Association (MLA) Convention, Seattle, Jan 11, 2020.

2019

“Language Learning and Cultural Exchange in Tandem: The case of UNESP and UW.” International Virtual Exchange Conference, (Co-presenter: Ana Christina Biondo Salomão), Tacoma, October 25-26, 2019

“An Inclusionary Open-Textbook for Portuguese” – Poster Presentation in collaboration with TA Stephen Pope - UW Center for Teaching and Learning - Teaching and Learning Symposium, April 17, 2019.

“An Inclusionary Open-Textbook for Portuguese” – Co-presenter Carlos Pio. Transformative: Teaching and Learning Language and Culture with Technology. University of Pennsylvania, April 5-7, 2019.

“Getting to Advanced: Challenging High School Heritage Language Learners to Step Outside their Comfort Zone” (co-presenter with Michele Aoki, Bridget Yaden, and Svetlana Abramova) Heritage Language Symposium, Seattle, March 17, 2019.

“Interactive Panel with Heritage Language Learners and Teachers” – Conducted a panel discussion with 9 heritage speakers in total of the following languages: Portuguese, Spanish, Russian, Chinese, and Albanian - Heritage Language Symposium, Seattle, March 17, 2019.

2018

“The Development of an Electronic-Textbook for Portuguese (Co-presenter: Ellen Oliveira). AATSP (American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese) in the Southern California chapter at the University of California Santa Barbara, October 2018

“Projeto de uma Plataforma Aberta para o Ensino de Português como Língua Adicional.” (Co-presenter: Carlos Pio, University of Pennsylvania). Universidade Estadual Paulista (UNESP), Araraquara, Brazil, June 2018.

“Teletandem: 4 Anos de Conexões.” (Co-presenter: Ana Salomão, UNESP). Universidade Estadual Paulista (UNESP), Araraquara, Brazil, June 2018.

“Projeto de uma Plataforma Aberta para o Ensino de Português como Língua Adicional.” (Co-presenter: Carlos Pio, University of Pennsylvania). Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais (UFMG), Belo Horizonte, Brazil, June 2018.

“Hybrid/ Online Business Portuguese Class.” IV International Symposium on Languages for Specific Purposes (ISLSP) / CIBER Business Language Conference, Gainesville, Florida, February 2018

“Working with Projects in the STARTALK Portuguese through STEM and Project-Based Learning” (co-presenter with Michele Aoki, Bridget Yaden, and Svetlana Abramova) - Heritage Language Symposium, Seattle, February 2018.

2017

“From Novice to Advanced: Differentiated Tasks for a Multilevel Language Class” (co-presenter), STARTALK Fall Conference, Portland, November 2017.

“Português Online nas Áreas de CTEM.” American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP), Chicago, July 2017.

2016

“The Use of Online Modules in a Hybrid/Online Portuguese Business Class.” American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) 2016 Conference, Boston, November 2016.

“Incorporating Local and Global Communities in the Teaching of Portuguese as a Foreign Language.” American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP), Miami, July 2016.

“Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) with students in Mozambique.” COIL Conference, SUNY, New York, April 2016.

“Expanding the Portuguese Classroom with Podcasts” (Co-presenter with Kent Kinzer), Central Washington University, April 2016.

“Portuguese for Heritage Speakers of Spanish” (Co-presented with Marcelo Ramirez), Language Summit: High School to College Connection, University of Washington, January 2016.

2015

“The Devil in the Brazilian Backlands” Pacific Ancient and Modern Language Association Conference (PAMLA), Folklore and Mythology Panel, Portland, November 2015.

2014

“Task-based Exams and Washback Effects in the L2 Classroom” – Co-presenter Dr. Laura Marqués-Pascual. American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP) Southern California Chapter – Los Angeles, October 2014.

2013

“A Representação da Natureza em Alberto Caeiro”. Dia das Letras Portuguesas, University of California Santa Barbara, May 2013.

2012

“Formas Distintas de Amar, Amor e Traição em *O Primo Basílio, Alves e Cia e São Bernardo*” American Portuguese Studies Association Conference (APSA), University of Iowa, October 2012.

“Um Zoológico de Significados, A Função dos Animais em Alguns Textos de Machado de Assis”, Brazilian Studies Association (BRASA), University of Illinois, Champaign, September 2012.

“A Galicidade em Guimarães Rosa”, The 2012 Day of Galician Letters, University of California Santa Barbara, May 2012.

“Medeiro Vaz, O Carlos Magno do Sertão”, 14th Lusophone and Hispanic Graduate Student Conference, University of California Santa Barbara, May 2012.

“A Sátira e a Intertextualidade em *Cartas Chilenas e Lettres Persanes*” Graduate Student Conference in Spanish and Portuguese, Berkeley, April 2012.

2011

“Interactive Activities for First and Second-Year Portuguese Classes”. American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP) 93rd Annual Conference, Washington DC, July 2011.

“Revisão Crítica de *Clepsydra (Clepsidra)* e Análise da Polêmica na Crítica Genética de Barbara Spaggiari e Paulo Franchetti”. 13th Lusophone and Hispanic Graduate Student Conference, University of California Santa Barbara, May 2011.

“The Forgotten Kids. Transgressing Social Boundaries in the Mexican movie *Los Olvidados* and the Brazilian book *Capitães de Areia*”, New Brunswick, Northeast Modern Language Association (NMLA), April 2011.

“O Ensino Explícito de Interferências Negativas do Espanhol na Produção Escrita do Português” IV – SEPFE – Simpósio sobre o Ensino de Português para Falantes de Espanhol, Georgetown University, March 2011.

2010

“Stuck in the Slums – The Lack of Social Mobility in *Child of the Dark* and *City of God*” Pacific Ancient and Modern Language Association Conference (PAMLA), Honolulu, November 2010

“Uma Porta-Voz da Favela – Carolina Maria de Jesus e o seu diário *Quarto de Despejo*.” American Portuguese Studies Association Conference (APSA), Brown University, October 2010.

“Quem dá as Ordens? A Sexualização e o Poder da Mulher em *Dona Flor*, *Gabriela* e *Tieta*. A Imagem Transnacional da Mulher Brasileira nos Romances de Jorge Amado e nas suas Adaptações para TV” Graduate Student Conference in Spanish and Portuguese, UCLA, April 2010.

2006

“Getting the Business Done, Contrastive Rhetoric of Brazilian Portuguese and US-English in Business Letters” Intermountain TESOL, Salt Lake City, October 2006

“Students Can Do it! They Can Speak the Target Language from the First Day” Utah Foreign Language Association Conference, Provo, November 2006

2005

“The Evaluation of Contextualized Production of L2 Compositions in Portuguese by students with an extended living experience in Portuguese-Speaking Countries” Utah Foreign Language Association Conference, Provo, November 2005

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Awards

2025 Art Project for Groups Award for the organization of the Contemporary Brazilian Film Festival – Travessias (\$13,890 Award) - 4-Culture, Seattle, March 2026.

2025 UW Distinguished Teaching Award Finalist

2024 MAFLT LCTL Conference Award for the co-organization of a workshop on Gamification in Language Learning (\$500 award). National Less Commonly Taught Languages Resource Center, Michigan State University, August 2024.

2023 MAFLT LCTL Innovation Award for *Bate-Papo: An Introduction to Portuguese* in the Open Educational Resource Category (\$250 award). National Less Commonly Taught Languages Resource Center, Michigan State University, March 2023

2020 Language Teacher of the Year for the State of Washington
Washington Association for Language Teaching, WAFLT.

2020 Open Scholarship Award: Honorable Mention for the e-textbook *Bate-Papo: An Introduction to Portuguese*. Sponsored by the Canadian Social Knowledge Institute and its partners. January, 2020

2018 UW Libraries Open Textbook Award, \$3,000 grant to contribute with the development of an e-textbook for Portuguese. June, 2018

Digital Humanities Summer Institute (DHSI) Tuition Scholarship for a 2018 Course. Cnd\$650. Scholarship the week course: “Open Access and Open Social Scholarship” at the University of Victoria, Canada.

2016 CIBER Business Language Research and Teaching Award. “Hybrid/Online Business Portuguese Class” – U.S. Department of Education, Indiana University. \$2,000 grant and \$500 to be applied to travel to attend the 2018 Language for Specific Purposes conference hosted by the University of Florida to present the project.

TA Award – Department of Spanish and Portuguese, University of California Santa Barbara, June 2013

Outstanding Graduate Student in Portuguese – Department of Spanish and Portuguese, University of California Santa Barbara, June 2012

Outstanding Graduate Student in Portuguese - Department of Spanish and Portuguese, Brigham Young University, May 2006

International Student Honor Roll, Brigham Young University, Summer 2006

Fellowships

Faculty Summer Reading Group on Community-Based Language Teacher Education Programs. The Simpson Center for Humanities, UW. \$1,000 to participate in a reading group with colleagues in the English Department and in Spanish and Portuguese Studies, Summer 2023.

The Making of Modern Brazil, \$2,800 – National Endowment for the Humanities – Summer institute (Professional Development Program) – 1 week online and 2 weeks in person – San Diego State University, June 13th to July 1st, 2022.
<https://www.makingmodernbrazil.com/>

Global Innovation Fund, \$900 (matched with another \$900 from Spanish and Portuguese) Approval of funds to be used in the internationalization of the Portuguese Program by inviting guest speakers from Brazil, Portuguese-Africa, and Portugal to present through Zoom in Portuguese classes at UW, University of Washington, Global Affairs, 2021/2022

New Course Development Grant, \$2,000
Development of a GE class: PORT 240/JSIS 240 – Brazil Today through Cinema,
Literature, and Social Media
Center for Global Studies, University of Washington, July 2020

Travel Grants for Participation in Conferences in 2015 to 2019, \$20,000 (approx.)
Spanish and Portuguese Studies, Center for Global Studies, Center for West European
Studies, and Language Learning Center, University of Washington

Course Development Grant, \$2,000
Development of a general education class on Luso-Brazilian Cultures
Center for Global Studies, University of Washington, September 2016
2016 Global Business Center Language Business Grant, \$1,000 – Grant for the
Development of Online Business Modules. Foster School of Business, University of
Washington, August 2016

Summer Grant for Business Portuguese. \$3,000
Research grant for business Portuguese, Center for West European Studies,
University of Washington, August 2016

Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) – Grant for the development of an
online exchange component with university students in Mozambique for a new course –
PORT 365/ JSIS A 365 – Mapping Luso-Brazilian Cultures - \$2,000 – Jackson School of
International Studies, University of Washington, November 2015.

Center for Portuguese Studies Travel Grants (Spring 2012, Summer 2011, and Fall 2010),
University of California Santa Barbara

Instituto Camões e Fundação Eça de Queiróz (FEQ), Curso de Verão, Formas do
Realismo International Student Fellowship - Accommodation and course at FEQ in
Portugal, July 2011

Center for Portuguese Studies, University of California Santa Barbara – Research Grant
for the Summer Program in Portugal at FEQ \$ 1,200 Summer 2011

Fritz Burns Foundation Graduate Fellowship \$ 4,000 - Brigham Young University,
Fall 2006

Graduate Student Scholarship – PAMLA (Pacific Ancient and Modern Language
Association), Fall 2010

Travel Grant – FLAD (Fundação Luso-Americana para o Desenvolvimento), Fall 2010

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Main area of interest

Applied Linguistics, Critical Pedagogy, and Environmental Studies.

I am interested in environmental studies and critical pedagogy theory and in the decolonization of Luso-Brazilian classes through the teaching of critical cultural studies and literature.

Secondary

Global Citizenship/Competence, Luso-African Studies and Arts

SERVICE

Bonderman Travel Fellowship, UW Office of Merit Scholarships, Fellowships, and Awards. Committee member, 2025-2026. <https://bonderman.uw.edu/>

Fulbright Committee, UW Office of Merit Scholarships, Fellowships, and Awards. Committee member, 2024-2026.

Travessias Contemporary Brazilian Film Festival. Co-organizer, Northwest Film Forum, Jan 27-28, 2026
<https://nwfilmforum.org/festivals/travessias-brazilian-film-festival-2026/>

Travessias – U.S. – Brazil Initiatives on Culture and Education – Co-founder, Non-governmental organization established, March 2026.

Weekly Portuguese Conversation – *Movimento Pão de Queijo* – Organized weekly Portuguese conversation and gathering with light refreshments in the office, Winter and Spring and Autumn 2025, Winter and Spring 2026.

Volunteered with the organization of BrazilFest in the Seattle Center, August 18, 2024.

Co-organized the Seattle Brazilian Film Festival Travessias. Northwest Film Forum, May 24-25, 2024. <https://nwfilmforum.org/festivals/travessias-brazilian-film-festival-2024-in-person-only/>

Talk on Zoom with Black Film Director Vinícius Silva and Film Director Gabriel Barbosa – Organized talk about Black lives in Brazil offered to students in PORT 365/JSIS A 365 (Brazilian Cinema) and the local community, Fall 2024.

Co-organized the visit at the University of Washington of 5 Brazilian law students and their professor in Law and Human Rights from Universidade Federal do Mato Grosso do Sul (UFMS) in Brazil, January 12 to February 15, 2024.

Talk on Zoom from Indigenous leader Benilda Vergílio and activist David de França Brito – Organized talk about Indigenous lives in Brazil offered to students in PORT 202 and the local community, November 29th, 2023.

Promotional tables for Spanish and Portuguese Studies – Participated in the organization of a promotional table with colleagues Angélica Amezcua, HUB (food plaza), November 7th and 13th, 2023.

Visit at the UW of a delegation of professors from the Federal University of Mato Grosso do Sul (UFMS) – Organized the visit of a group of four professors from Brazil at the UW. Scheduled meetings with the Jackson School (Latin American and Caribbean Studies and the Center for Global Studies), the School of Law, the UW Center for Human Rights, and the Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies. November 2-3, 2023.

Event with Roda de Choro – Chorando na Chuva, UW, HUB – Organization of event for students and local community. October 25, 2023.

Co-creation of the Language Pedagogy Circle at the UW Language Learning Center in collaboration with colleagues Russell Hugo and Irina Markina. This is a faculty-led initiative to build community among UW instructors of additional languages around discussions of the latest research in Language Pedagogy and Applied Linguistics. First event: Meet-and-great with UW faculty and TAs in language teaching. UW Seattle, October 19, 2023.

Event for Admitted Students in Arts and Humanities. Participated in an information table as a faculty representative for the Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies in collaboration with Assistant Professor Juan Pablo Rodríguez Agente del Castillo and Angélica Amezcua, Burke Museum, April 15th, 2023 and April 20th, 2025.

Fundraising Initiatives for the Portuguese Program – UW Office of Advancement for Arts and Humanities – Participated in meetings and a fundraising dinner on March 7th, 2023 in collaboration with the chair for Spanish and Portuguese Studies and Kate Mortensen, Assistant Director of Advancement for Arts and Humanities.

Diversity Committee – Spanish and Portuguese Studies – Has been serving as chair of this committee since January 2023. Helped co-organized one event “Getting Started with Grants and Scholarships” on January 26th and March 3rd, 2023 in collaboration with the UW Office of Merit Scholarships and Awards and in collaboration with Assistant Professor Angélica Amezcua and the members of the Diversity Committee.

Brazilian Studies Committee – Spanish and Portuguese Studies – Has been serving as chair since the Autumn quarter of 2022. Has conducted quarterly meetings promoting the agenda of Brazilian Studies on campus with other members of the Committee.

Promotional table for Spanish and Portuguese Studies – Participated in the organization of a promotional table with colleagues Angélica Amezcua and Jorge González, HUB (food plaza), February 8th, 2023.

Samba and Salsa Event – Spanish and Portuguese Studies – Co-organized a social event for students in S&P Studies in collaboration with Assistant Professor, Angélica Amezcua, and dancers from Bahia in Motion, HUB 145, January 18th, 2023.

Visit of Brazilian Professor in Black Linguistics, Kleber Aparecido da Silva from the University of Brasília. Professor Aparecido da Silva came to the UW to present on his work on translanguaging as he was staying at Stanford as a visiting scholar through the

Brazilian Leman Institute. At the UW, Professor Aparecido da Silva did a presentation in the Simpson Center for the Humanities on December 1st, 2022 and visited a Portuguese class on December 2nd, 2022.

Committee Member of PhD Dissertation of Petr Pasek, Thesis “Reconfiguração da/s identidade/s sociocultural/is no processo de uso de língua estrangeira/L2 em tchecos (falantes do português) e brasileiros (falantes do tcheco).” Universidade Federal da Bahia Graduate Program in Language and Culture, November, 2022.

UW Dawg Daze Days – Co-organized an information table for the Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies and co-organized mini-languages lessons in Portuguese and Spanish, September 26th and 27th, 2022.

Fulbright Committee Member for Research Program in South America. UW Office of Merit Scholarships, Fellowships & Awards. Interviewed 2 students, provided feedback to them and endorsement for the Fulbright Commission, September 2022.

Organized 4 events on Zoom for the Portuguese Program at the UW. Three events with film directors: Vinícius Silva with a short-film about first generation of Black students at the University of São Paulo: *Quantos eram pra tá?*, 2018; event with director Juliana Vicente with the documentary on Black artists and entrepreneurs in Brazil: *Afronta, Face it!* 2017; and Fernando Souza. One event with the Black and LBTQI+ poet from Bahia, Brazil: Alex Simões (Spring 2022). Events co-sponsored by The Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies and Center for Global Studies, Fall 2021, Winter and Spring 2022.

Co-organizer of 6 events, 4 of them with Brazilian musicians (on Capoeira: Mestre Silvinho; on Maracatu: Mestre Chacon; on Brazilian Funk: Dr. Pedro Mendonça and MC Mano Teko; and on Samba: Chico Santana) and 2 events with film directors (Vinícius Silva with a short-film about first generation of Black students at the University of São Paulo: *Quantos eram pra tá?*, 2018, and director Juliana Vicente with a documentary about the occupation of abandoned buildings in São Paulo by homeless people – *Leva*, 2011). Events co-sponsored by The Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies and the Center for Global Studies - University of Washington, Fall of 2020 and Winter 2021.

Committee Member of PhD Dissertation of Rosângela Medeiros da Luz, Thesis “O processo de formação do professor de português língua não maternal (PLNM) em um curso de letras de uma instituição pública de ensino superior em Goiânia: A tecitura do professor de PLNM,” Universidade Federal de Goiás – Faculdade de Letras, December, 2020.

Co-organizer of the Crossroads Event: A dialogue between the Global South and the Global North: Anti-racism and racial literacy in Brazil (Speakers: Prof. Jonathan Warren and Paulette Thompson), Event co-sponsored by The Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies and the Center for Global Studies - University of Washington, October 29th, 2020.

Fulbright Committee Member for the English Teaching Assistant (ETA) Program UW Office of Merit Scholarships, Fellowships & Awards. Interviewed 3 students. provided feedback to them and endorsement for the Fulbright Commission. September 2020 and September of 2021.

Committee member for the Boren Scholarship, funded by the U.S. National Security and Education Program. Provide feedback on undergraduate and graduate students' applications and participate in the interview process conducted at the UW Office of Merit Scholarships, Fellowships & Awards. Interviewed between 3 to 5 students per year. 2018, 2020, and 2021.

Advisor of the UW registered student organization – Pesquisadores Universitários Brasileiros - Helps with the organization of events and the invitation of guest speakers, 2016-2020.

Committee Member for the Revision of the Departmental Merit Review. Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies, University of Washington, Fall 2019/ Winter 2020. Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Grant – Committee member, Center for Global Studies, University of Washington, Contributed with the grant selection for graduate and undergraduate students. Review approximately 50 applications per year. 2016-2020.

Co-organizer of the Talk by Brazilian poets Flávia Rocha and Leonardo Tonus, and Brazilian philosopher and social activist Márcia Tiburi. Event co-sponsored by The Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies the Creative Writing Program, the Simpson Center for the Humanities, and the Center for Global Studies - University of Washington, April 2019.

Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) Rater and Tester - American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL), Conducts OPI tests and ratings on regular-basis (an average of 4 interviews per month) as a volunteer. 2015 to present.

Faculty Review Committee – UW Spanish and Portuguese Studies 2017-2019 – Participated in a two-year committee with Professors Tony Geist (year 1) and Ana Gómez Bravo (year 2). Conducted 8 class observations and wrote observation reports in collaboration with colleagues.

Selection Committee Member for the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) 2018 Convention in New Orleans. Evaluated 12 abstracts for presentations in the Portuguese sessions. March 2018.

Selection Committee Member for the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP) 2018 Conference in Salamanca. Evaluated 412 abstracts for presentations in the conference. Oct-Nov 2017.

Advisory Oral Proficiency Interviews (OPI) – Conducted Advisory OPI for students applying for the FLAS Fellowship at the University of Washington – Tester for Portuguese proficiency for UW applicants – 2016-2021.

Co-organizer of The Seattle Portuguese Meetup Group, Conversation bi-weekly meetings to connect Portuguese speakers in the Seattle area, since September 2015-2019.

Faculty Sponsor for student in the Master of Library and Information Science, Luiza Wainer. Capstone project “Social Justice in Brazilian Library and Information Scientific Research” University of Washington, Jan-Jun 2016.

Committee Member for Honor Thesis of B.A. student Yaneli Salgado-Antunez. Project: Street Art in São Paulo, Comparative History of Ideas, University of Washington, 2016 and 2017.

Co-organizer of the Talk by photographer Kristin Capp on the photo-book *Brasil*. Event supported by the Center for Global Studies, The School of Art, Design, and The Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies, University of Washington, January 2017.

Review of a Book Proposal from Routledge Press, *Contextos: Intermediate Portuguese*. Reviewed two chapters and provided an analysis of the book and market for Routledge Press. August, 2016.

Co-organizer with Monica Rojas (LACS) of the Talk by Brazilian poet Salgado Maranhão and translator Alexis Levitin. Event supported by the Center for Humanities, Latin American Caribbean and African Studies, Center for Global Studies, and Spanish and Portuguese. University of Washington, April 2016

Panel Moderator, Research Paper on Portuguese, American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) 2015 Conference, San Diego, November 2015.

Advisor for the Brazilian Club, undergraduate student organization, University of Washington.

Panel Chair on Machado de Assis, Brazilian Studies Association, University of Illinois, Champaign, September 2012.

Presiding Officer for the PAMLA Conference 2011 – Latin American Literature Session.

Committee Organizer for the 13th Lusophone and Hispanic Graduate Student Conference at University of California, Santa Barbara, 2011.

Utah Brazilian News, Contributor and Writer, Salt Lake City, 2005-2006.

Volunteer ESL Instructor for a Community Program, Provo, Summer 2006.

Submissions Editor – More than Thought – Online Graduate Academic Journal (2010 and 2011 editions).

Translator English-Portuguese, and proofreader for the Utah Brazilian News, 2005-2006.

LANGUAGES

Portuguese: native speaker/ superior level (OPI, 2014)

English: advanced-high/superior speaker

Spanish: advanced-high speaker