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Education

Ph.D. Anthropology, University of Pittsburgh, 2007
 M.P.H. Behavioral and Community Health Sciences, University of Pittsburgh, 2007
 M.A. Anthropology, University of Wyoming, 2000
 B.A. Psychology with concentrations in Education and Spanish, cum laude, Clark University, 1994

Academic Positions

2023-Present **Associate Dean of Faculty/Professor**, Loyola University Chicago, School of Environmental Sustainability. (hired at rank of Professor; re-tenured in May 2024)
 2017-2023 **Professor of Anthropology**, Department of Archaeology & Anthropology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
 2012-2017 **Associate Professor of Anthropology**, Department of Archaeology & Anthropology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse (promotion & tenure)
 2007-2012 **Assistant Professor of Anthropology**, Department of Archaeology & Anthropology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse

Leadership Experience and Professional Development

2024 External Reviewer, Academic Program Review, Department of Environmental Studies and Science, Santa Clara University, CA
 2023-present Chair, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee. School of Environmental Sustainability, LUC
 2021-2023 Faculty Mentoring Fellow, School of Education, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
 2021-2023 Institutional Review Board Coordinator, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
 2019 Interim Chair, International Studies Program, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
 2015-17 President, North Central Council of Latin Americanists, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
 2013-14 Section Chair, Department of Sociology & Archaeology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
 2007-2019 Coordinator of the Anthropology Program, Department of Sociology & Archaeology (2007-2014), Department of Archaeology & Anthropology (2014-2019), University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
 2012 National Science Foundation *Short Course in Research Methods: Social Network Analysis*. July 22-27, Duke Univ. Marine Laboratory, Beaufort, NC.

Publications (Peer reviewed book, journal articles, and book chapters; * indicates student co-author)*Book:*

Hippert, Christine. 2021. *Not Even A Grain of Rice: Buying Food on Credit in the Dominican Republic*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books/Bloomsbury Academic Press.

Journal Articles/Book Chapters:

1. Hippert, Christine. In prep. Faculty Career Progression: Applying for Promotion and/or Tenure. In *Transitioning to the Professoriate: A Practical Guide to Obtaining and Thriving in Your First Faculty Position*. Cognella Academic Publishing.
2. Hippert, Christine. 2023. Ties that Bind in the Dominican Republic: Buying Food on Credit in Corner Stores. In *Insights on Latin America and the Caribbean*. Melanie Medeiros and Jennifer Guzmán, eds. Pp. 349-359. University of Toronto Press.
3. Schwartz, Ashley* and Hippert, Christine. 2019. Examining “Gap-Filling” in the Curriculum of the Pirwa After-School Program for Children in Huancarani, Bolivia. *Practicing Anthropology* 41(2): 34-39.
4. Hippert, Christine. 2019. “Put It On My Tab:” Dominican-Haitian Relations and Buying Food on Credit in Neighborhood Corner Stores. In *Foodscapes: Food, Space, and Place in a Global Society*. Carlita Green, ed. Pp. 139-166. Peter Lang Publishers.
5. Hippert, Christine. 2017a. The Moral Economy of Corner Stores and Haitian-Dominican Interpersonal Relations in the Dominican Republic. *Food and Foodways: Explorations in History and Culture of Human Nourishment* 24(3): 1-22.
6. Hippert, Christine. 2017b. Friction, Anti-Haitianism, and Everyday Dominican-Haitian Interpersonal Relations in the Dominican Republic. *Wadabagei: A Journal of the Caribbean and its Global Diaspora* 17(2).
7. Hippert, Christine. 2017c. Farm to School Movement. In *Encyclopedia of Food and Agricultural Ethics* (2nd Edition). Paul B. Thompson and David M. Kaplan, eds. Pp. 874-879. Spring Publishers.
8. Hippert, Christine. 2017d. Agriculture and Colonialism. In *Encyclopedia of Food and Agricultural Ethics* (2nd Edition). Paul B. Thompson and David M. Kaplan, eds. Pp. 95-100. Spring Publishers.
9. Hippert, C, Bremer, E.* , Rooker, A.* , Running, M.* , Tanberg, H.* , & Van Driessche, R.* 2014. From Local Fields to School Lunch Lines: Multiple Stakeholders' Perspectives in a Farm 2 School Program. *Practicing Anthropology* 36(1): 11-16.
10. Hippert, Christine. 2014. Day of the Dead. In *A-Z of Death and Dying: Social, Cultural and Medical Aspects*. Michael Brennan, ed. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO.
11. Hippert, Christine. 2013. Food Insecurity, Andean Indigeneity, and Development Aid: Constructing Local and Global Development Identities in Huancarani, Bolivia. *Bolivian Research Review* 10(1): 151-190.
12. Hippert, Christine. 2011a. The Politics and Practices of Constructing Development Identities in Rural Bolivia. *Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology* 16(1):90-113.
13. Hippert, Christine. 2011b. Women's Spaces, Gender Mainstreaming, and Development Priorities: Popular Participation as a Gendered Process in Rural Bolivia. *Women's Studies International Forum* 34:498-508.
14. Hippert, Christine. 2008. Nongovernmental Organizations: Latin America. *Encyclopedia of the Modern World: 1750 – Present*. Peter Stearns, ed. New York: Oxford University Press.
15. Hippert, Christine. 2002. Multinational Corporations, the Politics of the World Economy, and their Effects on Women's Health in the Developing World: A Review. *Health Care for Women International* 23(8):861-869.

Non-peer reviewed Publications/Creative endeavors

1. Hippert, Christine. 2022. “How to Eat Sustainably: Eight tips to find food that is good for the Earth, health, workers and cultures.” *Currents*: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse Blog. <https://www.uwlax.edu/currents/how-to-eat-sustainably/>
2. Hippert, Christine and Dutta, Nabamita. 2016. “Search for Economic Justice through Photography.” (Photography exhibit with corresponding lengthy written commentaries; funded through a UWL Foundation Grant). <https://www.uwlax.edu/murphylibrary/about-the->

[library/events-and-publications/art-in-the-mug/#tm-27872](#)

Grants

1. **International Scholarship Grant**, \$2,500, 2018. Caribbean Studies Association meetings in Havana, Cuba.
2. **College of Arts, Social Sciences, and Humanities (CASSH) Out of the Box Grant**, \$3,293, 2018. “Assessing Campus Interest and Need for Latin American Studies Program and Preliminary Planning for Proposal for Latin American Studies Minor.” Macias-González, V., Granados, O., and Hippert, C. (Co-PIs).
3. **UWL Faculty Research Grant**, \$5,000, 2017. Book subvention grant.
4. **Center for Latin American Studies Faculty Research Associate Grant**, \$500, 2016. Keynote stipend for NCCLA Annual Conference hosted at UWL, November 4-5, 2016.
5. **CASSH Dean’s Office**, \$500, 2016. Keynote stipend for NCCLA Annual Conference hosted at UWL, November 4-5, 2016.
6. **CASSH Small Grant**, \$3,500, 2016. “Assessing ANT/ECO 212: Inter-college General Education.” Co-PI, Nabamita Dutta.
7. **Fulbright Flex Award semi-finalist**, 2014 (unfunded).
8. **UWL internal grants (CASSH Small Grant (\$5,000), Faculty Research Grant (\$7,000), International Development Fund Grant (\$3,350), Faculty Development Grant (\$4,386)**, 2014. To fund sabbatical research in Dominican Republic (AY 2014-15).
9. **CASSH Small Grant**, \$3,500, 2013. “Preliminary Programming to Pursue an Anthropology Major at UWL.”
10. **International Development Fund Grant**, \$1,900, 2013. “Haitian Migrants, Food Security, and Social Networks in the Dominican Republic.”
11. **Travel Grant for Regional Faculty Associates**, \$500, 2012. UW-Milwaukee, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies.
12. **Provost’s Office Diversity Grant**, \$1,141, 2012. To fund visiting scholar events. Co-author: V. Macías-González.
13. **Online Education Course Grant**, \$3,000, 2012. Awarded to develop online course offering, *Anthropology of Food*.
14. **La Crosse County Public Health Department**, \$3,000, 2011. “Evaluating the Farm 2 School Project in the La Crosse School District.”
15. **Training for Teaching in an Online Classroom**, \$1,000, 2011. Center for Teaching and Learning.
16. **International Development Grant**, \$2,575, 2011. “The Social, Cultural, and Environmental Impacts of Development in Hispaniola: Preliminary Planning for a New UWL Study Abroad Tour.”
17. **CASSH Small Grant**, \$3,500, 2011. Co-PI’s Christine Hippert and Carol Miller to collaborate in summer 2011 to submit a proposal to the USDA Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program.
18. **Faculty Research Grant**, \$6,304, 2008. “International Food Aid, Identity, and Culture Change in a Rural Bolivian Community.”
19. **International Development Grant** \$3,350, 2008. “International Food Aid, Identity, and Culture Change in a Rural Bolivian Community.”
20. **Travel Grant for Regional Faculty Associates**, \$500, 2008. UW-Milwaukee, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies.
21. **Provost’s Office Small Grant**, \$978, 2008. Co-PI’s Christine Hippert and Timothy McAndrews.
22. **Honor’s Program**, \$1,000, 2008. Co-PI’s Deborah Hoskins, Meredith Thomsen, Donna

- Anderson, Christine Hippert.
23. **Travel Grant for Regional Faculty Associates**, \$500, 2007. UW- Milwaukee, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies.
 24. **Provost's Development Fund Predoctoral Fellowship**, \$15,000, 2006-2007. University of Pittsburgh.
 25. **Fulbright-Hays Dissertation Fellowship**, \$18,000, 2005. U S Department of Education.
 26. **David L. Boren/NSEP Graduate Fellowship**, \$6,000, 2004-2006. U S Academy of Educational Development.
 27. **IIE Fulbright Fellowship (declined)**, 2004.

Awards

1. Eagle Teaching Award, 2018. Highest university-wide teaching honor at UWL
2. CASSH Sabbatical Award, 2013. Year-long sabbatical awarded for AY 2014-2015, UWL
3. Recognition of Excellence Award for Research, 2012. College of Arts, Social Sciences, and Humanities, UWL
4. Recognition of Excellence Award for Teaching, 2010. College of Arts, Social Sciences, and Humanities, UWL
5. Certificate of Appreciation, 2009. North American Council of Latin Americanists, Milwaukee, WI
6. Most Accessible Faculty Member nomination, 2009. UWL
7. Certificate for "Impact as an Educator," 2009. Kappa Delta Pi, UWL
8. Eduardo Lozano Memorial Dissertation Prize for Best Dissertation, 2007. Center for Latin American Studies, University of Pittsburgh

Teaching Experience (*course name/sections taught*)

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| 2007-2023 | Contemporary Global Issues (34 sections), Anthropology of Food (20 sections), Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (12 sections), Historical and Theoretical Approaches in Anthropology (10 sections), Medical Anthropology (6 sections), Peoples and Cultures of Latin America (6 sections), International Development and Culture Change (5 sections), Search for Economic Justice (5 sections), Andean Anthropology (3 sections), First Year Seminar: Patients and Healers Around the World (3 sections), Engaging Global Challenges and Opportunities (1 section); designed and led 2 study broad programs (director, one-month in Cochabamba & 10-day alternative spring break in Dominican Republic); University of Wisconsin-La Crosse |
| 1999 | Introduction to Anthropology (1 summer 3-week session), adjunct instructor, University of Wyoming |

Conference Presentations and Invited Lectures

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| 2019 | The Moral Economy of Corner Stores in the Dominican Republic. Paper presented at the Caribbean Studies Association annual conference, Santa Marta, Colombia. June 4. |
| 2019 | Who's <i>Gente Responsable</i> ? Food Shopping, Haitian-Dominican Socio-Economic Practices, and Assigning Moral Worth in the Dominican Republic. Paper presented the Latin American Studies Association annual conference, Boston, MA. May 25. |
| 2018 | The Social Construction of Race and Ethnicity in Hispaniola: Understanding the Influences of the Past on the Present. Invited three-hour workshop presented as part of the Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies Summer Teachers Institute (July 11-13). University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, July 11. |
| 2017 | Past Presidents of the North Central Council of Latin Americanists. Panelist at the annual conference of the NCCLA, Oct. 5-7, Madison, WI. |
| 2016 | Regularizing Status and the Processes of Becoming Legal in the Dominican Republic. Paper |

- presented at the Annual Meeting of the North Central Council of Latin Americanists, UWL. November 4.
- 2016 Racism, Citizenship, and Everyday Dominican-Haitian Interpersonal Relations in the Dominican Republic. Paper presented at Social Justice Week, Institute for Social Justice, UWL. April 7.
- 2016 *"But I'm Not A Racist!"* Friction, Global Interconnections, and Everyday Dominican-Haitian Interpersonal Relations in the Dominican Republic. Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Vancouver, BC, Canada. April 1.
- 2016 Colonialism, Ethnic, and Urban Perspectives on In/Exclusion. Organizer of session at the annual meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Vancouver, BC, Canada. April 1.
- 2016 Racism, Citizenship, and Everyday Dominican-Haitian Interpersonal Relations in the Dominican Republic. Paper presented at the first annual conference of the Institute for Social Justice, UWL. April 7.
- 2015 "But I Am Not a Racist!" Friction, Global Interconnections, and Everyday Dominican-Haitian Interpersonal Relations in the Dominican Republic. Paper presented at the annual meetings of the North Central Council of Latin Americanists, Carroll Univeristy, Waukesha, WI. September 26.
- 2015 "I Am Not a Racist!" The Moral Economy of the Corner Store and Haitian- Dominican Relations in the Dominican Republic. Lecture for Hispanic Heritage Month, UWL. September 17.
- 2015 *"En Mi Caso, Predomina Lo Haitiano:"* El Trabajo de la Construcción de Identidad en Cabarete, RD ("In My Case, the Haitian Wins Out:" Identity Construction Work in Cabarete, Dominican Republic). Invited lecture delivered in Spanish to the Facultad de Humanidades, Escuela de Historia y Antropología, Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo. Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic. March 8.
- 2015 Cultural Citizenship, Food Security, and the Moral Economy of the Corner Store. Paper accepted for presentation at the Annual Meetings of the Central States Anthropology Society, St. Paul, MN, April 9.
- 2015 Subsistence in the Familiar and Strange. Chair of session at the Annual Meetings of the Central States Anthropology Society, St. Paul, MN, April 9.
- 2014 *"Dame Fiao"* (Put It On My Tab): Food Security, Social Networks, and Identity in the Dominican Republic. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, D.C., Dec. 4.
- 2013 Community Development, Food Security, and Identity: Long-term Anthropological Fieldwork in Bolivia and the Dominican Republic. Invited lecture for Archaeology Club Lecture Series, UWL, April 22.
- 2012 From Local Fields to School Lunch Lines: Evaluating the Benefits and Limitations of a Farm 2 School Project. Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA: November 17.
- 2012 Farm 2 School Evaluation: Perspectives from Farmers and Food Service Personnel in La Crosse County Schools. Presentation of research findings to the La Crosse County Public Health Department. Undergraduate student co-presenters: Rileigh Van Driessche and Rachel Lee. June 6.
- 2011 Negotiating Development, Negotiating the Self: Constructing Local and Global Identities in the Pirwa. Paper presented at the North Central Council of Latin Americanists Annual Meetings, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Oct. 1.
- 2011 Bolivian Popular Participation and State Priorities: 'Fitting in With the Winners.' Paper presented at Faculty Research Day, UWL, Jan. 21.
- 2011 Testimonio and (Ethnographic) Fiction: Using Critical Pedagogy in an Anthropology Class to Examine Representations of Andean Lives. Paper presented at the Second Annual La Crosse Area Latina(o) Collaborative Workshop on Teaching, Research, and Service, UWL. April 2.
- 2010 Inclusion, Exclusion, and Bolivian Popular Participation: State Priorities and Local Strategies of Resistance. Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, LA. Nov.19.

- 2010 Participation and Governmentality: The Cultural Construction of Development in Rural Bolivia. Paper presentation at the joint UWL/Viterbo Conference, “Latin American Modernities: Research, Teaching, and Service in Latin America.” April 24.
- 2010 Panel of Student Research Presentations organized for the joint UWL/Viterbo Conference, “Latin American Modernities: Research, Teaching, and Service in Latin America.” Discussant for the panel entitled, “Anthropological Research on Latin America and the Caribbean: Student Perspectives on the Region” (Sarah Swanson, Erin DuBois, and Amy Fricke). April 23.
- 2008 Gender Mainstreaming and Development Priorities: Popular Participation as Gendered Work in Rural Bolivia. Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- 2008 Gender Mainstreaming and Development Priorities: Popular Participation as Gendered Work in Rural Bolivia. Paper presented for the Lecture Series in the Department of Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, UWL.
- 2006 Negotiating Gender, Race, and Class in Development Contexts in Bolivia. Paper presented at the Latin American Studies Association, Puerto Rico, April.
- 2000 Biomedical Practitioners and Alternative Medicine: Changing Health Care in the Central Rocky Mountains. Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA. November.

Book Talks, Guest Lectures, and Service Presentations

- 2024 “Ties that Bind in the Dominican Republic: Buying Food on Credit in Corner Stores,” presented for the panel, *You Are What You Eat: Food, Ethnicity, and Social Justice*. With Paula Tomczak and Alice Weinreb. Department of Anthropology lecture series, LUC. April 5.
- 2024 “Food (In)Security,” Guest lecture for ENV5 350F STEP: Food class for Dr. Tania Schusler, SES, LUC. March 13.
- 2023 “Farm 2 School,” Guest lecture for the Urban Agriculture summer intern program, SES, LUC. August 4.
- 2021 Virtual book talk for, *Not Even A Grain of Rice*. Center for Latin American, Caribbean, and Iberian Studies, Marquette University. April 7.
- 2021 Virtual book talk for, *Not Even A Grain of Rice*. Center for Latin American, Caribbean, and Iberian Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison. March 16.
- 2021 Moderator of the panel, “Voices of Uprising: Refugees and the 20 Year Conflict in Afghanistan.” Round-table discussion including Afghani refugees living at Fort McCoy, WI and professor from UWL. November 9.
- 2021 Invited co-presenter (with Victor Macías-González) about promotion/tenure guidelines and strategies for advancing faculty in the Department of Global Cultures and Languages, UWL. April 9.
- 2021 Guest lecturer for Logan High School’s Spanish Club. March 3.
- 2021 Guest lecturer in Prof. Lisa Caya’s CYC 495 class. March 2.
- 2021 On-Line Small Group Discussions, and Open Book/ Open Notes Tests. Invited virtual presentation for Teaching and Learning Workshop, North Central Council of Latin Americanists. February 27.
- 2020 Participant on a panel about working mothers/UWL faculty and students and the impacts of the pandemic for Dr. Vandenberg-Daves’ History of Motherhood (WGS 305) class. (other panelists: Sara Docan-Morgan, Mahruq Khan, Melissa Touche Baca, Nicole Gulleckson). Dec. 1.
- 2019 Guest lecturer in Dr. John Kelly’s GEO 310 Geography of Latin America class. Nov. 11.
- 2018 Panelist for Pre-Health Center’s Grand Opening Event. Panel entitled, “Majors, minors, and courses you didn’t know were pre-health.” Co-panelists: Natalie Eschenbaum, Jodi Vandenberg-Daves, and Justine Enger. October 17.
- 2018 Presenter in NCCLA workshop, “Developing and Maintaining Latin American Studies

- Programs.” Alverno College, Milwaukee. April 19-20.
- 2018 Invited guest speaker, UWL Gymnastics team. Former College Athlete series, Work-Life Lessons Through Collegiate Sports. Jan. 31.
- 2017 Past Presidents of the North Central Council of Latin Americanists. Panelist at the annual conference of the NCCLA, Oct. 5-7, Madison, WI.
- 2017 Introduced and moderated discussion of film, “Growing Change: A Journey Inside Venezuela’s Food Revolution,” Ethnographic Film Series, Dept of Archaeology/Anthropology. Nov. 30.
- 2017 Gender Mainstreaming, Empowerment, and Development: Popular Participation as Gendered Work in Rural Bolivia. Guest lecture in ECO 212 Search for Economic Justice, for Dr. Nabamita Dutta, Economics. March 23.
- 2017 Introduced and moderated discussion of the film, “Que Culpa Tiene El Tomate (From Land to Table).” Latin American Film Festival, Institute for Latin American Studies, UWL. April 10.
- 2017 Preparing for Life After Graduate School: What I Wish I Knew Then. University of Pittsburgh, Department of Anthropology. March 24.
- 2016 Search for Economic Justice Panel Discussion: New Gen Ed Course (212 Series). UWL Institute for Campus Excellence. With Nabamita Dutta, Jodi Vandenberg- Daves, Omar Granados, Eric Kraemer, Lei Zhang, and Cecilia Manrique. Nov. 9.
- 2015 Teaching Latin America through Film and Documentaries. Workshop participant for the teaching workshop sponsored by the North Central Council of Latin Americanists. Augustana College, Rock Island, IL. March 28.
- 2014 *The Pasts in the Present: The Social Construction of Ethnicity in Everyday Life and Politics in Bolivia*. Invited lecture for Dr. Kate Grillo’s class World Archaeology (ARC 200), April 21.
- 2013 Introduced and moderated discussion of the film, “La Yuma.” *Hispanic Heritage Month*, sponsored by the Institute for Latin American Studies, UWL.
- 2012 *Ethnographic Methods*. Invited lecture for Dr. Ayesha Patnaik’s class (CST 332) Intercultural Communication, UWL.
- 2011 *Ethnographic Methods*. Invited lecture for Dr. Ayesha Patnaik’s class (CST 332) Intercultural Communication, UWL.
- 2011 Introduced and moderated discussion after the showing of the film, “Sugar.” *Hispanic Heritage Month*, sponsored by the Institute for Latino(a) and Latin American Studies, UWL.
- 2011 Introduced panel of films about health issues at the Third United Nations Traveling Film Festival, UWL. March.
- 2011 Introduced the film, “*Tambien La Lluvia* (Even the Rain),” for the La Crosse Film Society, Pump House Center for the Arts, October 2.
- 2010 Introduced and moderated discussion after the showing of the film, “Cafe Chavalos: Overcoming the Streets.” *Hispanic Heritage Month*, sponsored by the Institute for Latino(a) and Latin American Studies, UWL.
- 2010 *El Idioma Quechua: El Contexto y Uso en la Vida Cotidiana de Bolivia* (The Quechua Language: Context and Usage in Everyday Life in Bolivia). Spanish Phonetics class, Dr. Jean Hindson, UWL (lectured in Spanish).
- 2009 *International Food Aid, Identity, and Culture Change in a Rural Andean Community*. Literature and Environmental Activism class, Dr. Carla Graham, UWL.
- 2009 Latin American Politics: Paths to Power and Community Participation. Panel discussant at the annual conference of the North American Council of Latin Americanists, “Borders, Interconnections, and Latin America: Past and Present.” Simpson College, Iowa.
- 2005 Huancarani: Development, Politics, and Life in Rural Bolivia. University of Wisconsin-La Crosse Archaeological Field School in Cochabamba, Bolivia.
- 2003 Culture and Public Health. Patients and Healers class, University of Pittsburgh.
- 2000 Biomedical Practitioners and Alternative Medicine. Anthropology Club, University of Wyoming.
- 1999 Reproductive Health in Hermosillo. Ethnographic Methods class, University of Wyoming.

Service (to the University, School, Department, and Professions)

2023-present	International Education Committee, LUC.
2023-present	Academic Operations Group, LUC.
2023-present	Institute for Racial Justice Advocate, LUC.
2023-24	Member of 2 Search Committees in SES (for Assistant Professor of Environmental Policy & Assistant Professor of Energy Systems), LUC.
2021	External reviewer for promotion/tenure application: University of Minnesota-Morris
2021	Invited endorsement of book, <i>Esperanza Speaks: Confronting a Century of Global Change in Rural Panama</i> , by Gloria Rudolf. University of Toronto Press.
2009-2021	Institutional Review Board for Human Subjects member, UWL.
2019	External reviewer for promotion/tenure application: University of Georgia
2007-2019	Coordinator of the Anthropology Program, Archaeology/Anthropology, UWL.
2018-2020	Joint Promotion Committee member, UWL.
2018-2020	Program Chair, North Central Council of Latin Americanists, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies.
2018-2019	CASSH New Faculty Mentor, UWL.
2015-2021	International Studies Advisory Board member, UWL.
2007-2023	Departmental Liaison to the Institute for Latino/a, Latin American Studies (ILLAS)
2007-2023	Faculty Research Associate, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, UW-Milwaukee.
2015-2017	President-elect/President, North Central Council of Latin Americanists, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, UW-Milwaukee.
2017-2018	International Education Committee member, UWL
2017	Invited participant to General Education Brainstorming Session, UWL. August 28.
2017	Invited Reviewer for manuscript submitted to the journal, <i>History and Anthropology</i> .
2016-2017	Conference Organizer, North Central Council of Latin Americanists annual conference, November 4-5, 2016.
2015-2016	Executive Committee member, Archaeology/Anthropology.
2015-2016	Chair, Academic Program Review Committee, Archaeology/Anthropology.
2015-2016	CASSH New Faculty Mentor
2015-2016	Faculty Research Grant Committee member
2009-2013	International Studies Advisory Board member, UWL.
2014	Haitian Kreyol/Spanish translator, Cabarete Health Clinic, Dominican Republic, March 7.
2013-2014	Executive Committee, Sociology/Archaeology.
2013-14	CASSH New Faculty Mentor
2013	Invited Reviewer for article submitted to the journal, <i>Current Anthropology</i> .
2012-2013	National Conference on Undergraduate Research (UWL). Reviewer of abstracts and session moderator.
2012-2013	Chair, Search and Screen Committee, Dept. of Sociology and Archaeology.
2011-2014	Promotion, Tenure, and Salary Committee member, UWL.
2011-2012	Archaeology Assessment Committee member, UWL.
2010-2013	Mentor for McNair Scholar Program.
2011	Invited reviewer for National Science Foundation , Cultural Anthropology division.
2011	Invited reviewer for <i>American Journal of Sociology</i> .
2010-2011	Mentor for undergraduate student in Eagle Mentoring Program, UWL.

Media Contributions

- 2024 “Agriculture and Colonialism.” Interview with Teresa Cotsirilos, *Food and Environment Reporting Network*. Sept. 18.
- 2023 “Meaningful Mentoring.” *Campus Connection*, UWL. Jan. 12.
<https://www.uwlax.edu/news/posts/meaningful-mentoring/>
- 2021 “UWL anthropology professor discusses new book about buying food on credit in the Dominican Republic.” *The Racquet Press*, UWL. Oct. 5. <https://theracquet.org/11985/news/uwl-anthropology-professor-discusses-new-book-about-buying-food-on-credit-in-the-dominican-republic/>
- 2017 “UWL Creates New Cultural Anthropology Program.” *The Racquet Press*. UWL. September 16.
<https://theracquet.org/3610/news/uw-l-creates-new-cultural-anthropology-program/>
- 2016 “UWL Researcher Shares History of Fort McCoy’s Cuban Refugees at Annual Latin American Conference.” *La Crosse Tribune*. Nov. 4.
https://lacrossetribune.com/news/local/uw-l-researcher-shares-history-of-fort-mccoys-cuban-refugees-at-annual-latin-american-studies/article_56e2e394-dc9d-5b0e-8648-baab8a2d4f75.html
- 2016 “The Search for Economic Justice.” *Campus Connection*, UWL. Sept. 28.
<https://www.uwlax.edu/news/posts/the-search-for-economic-justice/>
- 2014 “May graduate recalls humble, Honduran beginnings.” *Campus Connection*, UWL. May 8.
<https://www.uwlax.edu/news/posts/uw-l-graduate-from-honduras-found-his-identity-future-on-campus/>
- 2012 “Drought Makes for Slim Produce Pickings.” Interviewed by Carrie Vick, Channel 8 WKBT. Aug. 3. <http://www.news8000.com/news/Drought-makes-for-slim-produce-pickings/-/326/15964302/-/s7i4xm/-/index.html>.

Long-term International Research Experience

- 2014-15 Ethnographic Fieldwork in Cabarete, Dominican Republic (9 months)
- 2013 Summer fieldwork in the Dominican Republic (2.5 months)
- 2011 Summer fieldwork in the Dominican Republic (6 weeks)
- 2009 Summer fieldwork and supervisor of the UWL Ethnographic Field School in Huancarani, Bolivia (5 weeks)
- 2004-2006 Dissertation fieldwork and Quechua language study, Cochabamba, Bolivia (18 months)
- 2003 Summer research in Cochabamba, Bolivia (3.5 months)
- 2002 Summer research in Cochabamba, Bolivia (3.5 months)
- 2001 Fieldsite survey throughout Central America (7 weeks)
- 1998 Field study of reproductive health services for women in Hermosillo, Mexico (4 weeks)

Languages

- English Native speaker
- Spanish Bilingual oral and written fluency
- Quechua Intermediate oral and written fluency
- Haitian Kreyol Intermediate oral and written fluency
- French Beginner-intermediate speaker