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## EDUCATION

- 2012     **Ph.D.**, Anthropology, *Distinction*, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.  
Dissertation Title - *Finding Hope: Guatemalan War Orphans' Responses to the Long-Term Consequences of Genocide* (Dr. Les Field, Chair).
- 2004     **M.A.**, Anthropology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 1993     **B.S.**, International Business, *Summa Cum Laude Honors*, Saint Cloud State University, Saint Cloud, Minnesota.

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2015-Present   **Assistant Professor of Anthropology**, Arts & Sciences Division, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, New Mexico.
- 2014-2015     **Visiting Assistant Professor**, Department of Anthropology, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, Oregon
- 2013-2014     **Postdoctoral Fellow**, Peace Studies Program, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2013-2014     **Part-Time Instructor**, Department of Psychology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2012-Present   **Adjunct Faculty I**, Department of Anthropology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2012-2014     **Adjunct Faculty I**, Peace Studies Program, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- Spring 2012    **Teaching Assistant**, Peace Studies Program, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2009-2012     **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Anthropology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2008-2009     **Research Assistant**, Department of Psychology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2009-2011, 2006-2007   **Graduate Assistant**, Department of Anthropology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Introduction to Anthropology** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 10 semesters of course.

**Introduction to Anthropology** (*Online Course*) – Taught 5 semesters of course.

**Cultures of the World/Introduction to Cultural Anthropology** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 15 semesters of course.

**Cultures of the World/Introduction to Cultural Anthropology** (*Online Course*) – Taught 12 semesters of course.

**World Archaeology** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 2 semester of course.

**Anthropological Theory** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 3 semesters of course.

**Human Geography** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 6 semesters of course.

**Language and Culture** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 1 semester of course.

**Human Rights** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 1 semester of course.

**Topics Course: Children in Genocide** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 5 semesters of course.

**Topics Course: Childhood Trauma across Cultures** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 3 semesters of course.

**Topics Course: Central America - Identity, Indigeneity, & the State** (*Web Enhanced*) – Taught 1 semester of course.

## RESEARCH POSITIONS

- 2013-2015      **Director**, Undergraduate Community-Based Research and Service Learning Project, Focus: Effects of the Mexican Drug War, Immigration, and Globalization on Mexican Youth living in the Borderlands (El Paso/Juarez), Peace Studies Program, University of New Mexico.
- 2011            **Co-Investigator**, Cognitive Differences in Children from Albuquerque, NM and Merida, Yucatán, México, Psychology Department, University of New Mexico.
- 2007-2008     **Principal Investigator**, Dissertation Research, Focus: War Orphans' Responses to the Long-Term Consequences of Genocide, Guatemala, Central America.
- 2002-2006     **Research Coordinator**, Efficacy of the Community Reinforcement Approach with Alcoholic Homeless Women Living in Albuquerque, Psychology Department, University of New Mexico.
- 2005            **Principal Investigator**, Preliminary Dissertation Research, Focus: Determining the Validity of Examining War Orphans' Responses to the Long-Term Consequences of Genocide, Guatemala, Central America.
- 2005            **Research Assistant**, Study Examining Directions for Community-Based Health Interventions for Native American Populations in New Mexico, Department of Family and Community Medicine, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- 2004-2005     **Research Coordinator**, Study Examining a Community-Based, *Promotora*-Centered Mental Health Intervention in New Mexico, Department of Family and Community Medicine, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

## GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2019            **Research Allocations Committee**, University of New Mexico, Summer Research (\$3,434), pending, submitted application February 2019 and awaiting notification

- 2019 **Field Research Grant**, Latin American & Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico, Summer Research (\$874), pending, *submitted application February 2019 and awaiting notification*
- 2018 **Staff and Faculty Mini-Grant**, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Awareness Day 2018 (\$595)
- 2017 **Staff and Faculty Mini-Grant**, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Filipino Week Celebration (\$1,200)
- 2017 **Staff and Faculty Mini-Grant**, University of New Mexico-Gallup, HERstory Month Commemoration (\$2,000)
- 2016 **Faculty Research Support Committee Grant**, University of New Mexico-Gallup (\$3,538)
- 2016 **Faculty Professional Development Committee Grant**, University of New Mexico-Gallup (\$1,540)
- 2016 **Staff and Faculty Mini-Grant**, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Awareness Day Event (\$647)
- 2011 **Graduate Research Project and Travel (RPT) Grant**, University of New Mexico (\$567).
- 2011 **Anthropology Department Travel Grant**, University of New Mexico (\$350).
- 2010-2011 **Ortiz Public Policy Scholarship**, University of New Mexico (\$10,000).
- 2010 **Student Research Allocations Committee Grant**, Graduate and Professional Student Association, University of New Mexico (\$500).
- 2010 **Graduate Research Project and Travel (RPT) Grant**, University of New Mexico (\$577).
- 2009-2010 Ph.D. Fellow, Latin American & Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico (\$12,600).
- 2009 Department Travel Grant, Anthropology Department, University of New Mexico (\$300).
- 2008-2009 Ph.D. Fellow, Latin American & Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico (\$12,600).
- 2007 Student Research Allocations Committee Grant, Graduate and Professional Student Association, University of New Mexico (\$500).
- 2006 Student Research Allocations Committee Grant, Graduate and Professional Student Association, University of New Mexico (\$500).
- 2005 Student Research Allocations Committee Grant, Graduate and Professional Student Association, University of New Mexico (\$500).
- 2005 Field Research Grant, Latin American and Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico (\$760).

## PUBLICATIONS

- Heying, S.**  
2020 Child Survivors of Genocide: Trauma, Resilience, and Indigeneity in Guatemala. Book manuscript based on doctoral dissertation in preparation. *Under contract with Lexington Books as of January 2019.*
- Heying, S.**  
2018 *Review* of Exiled Home: Salvadoran Transnational Youth in the Aftermath of Violence, by Susan Bibler Coutin. To be submitted to the *Journal of Anthropological Research*, 73(3), University of New Mexico.

- Heying, S., D. Witherington, J. Smith, and J. Gibbons**  
2016 Posttraumatic Distress and Growth among Guatemalan War Orphans in Adulthood. *International Perspectives in Psychology: Research, Practice, Consultation*, 5(1):18-33.
- Heying, S.**  
2015 Review of Maya after War: Conflict, Power, and Politics in Guatemala, by Jennifer L. Burrell. *Political and Legal Anthropology Review (PoLAR)*, 38(2):373-375.
- Witherington, D., and **S. Heying**  
2015 The Study of Process and the Nature of Explanation in Developmental Science. *Review of General Psychology*, 19(3):345-356.
- Heying, S.**  
2014 Review of Hidden Genocides: Power, Knowledge, Memory, by Alexander Laban Hilton, Thomas La Pointe, and Douglas Irvin-Erickson (editors). *Journal of Anthropological Research*, 70(4), University of New Mexico
- Heying, S.**  
2014 Review of War by Other Means: Aftermath in Post-Genocide Guatemala, by Carlota McAllister and Diane M. Nelson (editors). *Journal of Anthropological Research*, 70(2), University of New Mexico.
- Heying, S.**  
2013 Review of Global Coloniality of Power in Guatemala: Racism, Genocide, Citizenship, by Eglá Martínez Salazar. *Journal of Anthropological Research*, 69(4), University of New Mexico.
- Heying, S.**  
2013 Review of Warning Signs of Genocide: An Anthropological Perspective, by E. N. Anderson and Barbara A. Anderson. *Journal of Anthropological Research*, University of New Mexico, 69(4), University of New Mexico.
- Witherington, D. and **S. Heying**  
2013 Embodiment and Agency: Toward a Holistic Synthesis for Developmental Science. In *Advances in Child Development and Behavior*, Vol. 45. R.M. Lerner and J.B. Benson, eds. Oxford: Elsevier.
- Heying, S.**  
2012 Review of For Every Indio Who Falls: A History of Maya Activism in Guatemala, 1960-1990, by Betsy Konefal. Indigenous Peoples Issues and Resources, [http://indigenouspeoplesissues.com/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=15488](http://indigenouspeoplesissues.com/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=15488)
- Waitzkin, H., C. Getrich, **S. Heying**, L. Rodríguez, A. Parmar, C. Willging, J. Yager, and R. Santos.  
2011 *Promotoras* as Mental Health Practitioners in Primary Care: A Multi-Method Study of an Intervention to Address Contextual Sources of Depression. In *Journal of Community Health*, 36:316-311.
- Getrich, C., **S. Heying**, C. Willging and H. Waitzkin.  
2007 An Ethnography of Clinic “Noise” in a Community-Based, *Promotora*-Centered Mental Health Intervention. In *Social Science & Medicine*, 65(2):319-33.

#### Works in Preparation

- Heying, S.**  
2019 Community-Based Participatory Research with Teens in the Borderlands. Manuscript in preparation. To be submitted to the *Journal of Adolescent Research* in Summer 2019.
- Heying, S.**  
2019 Teaching Genocide and Human Rights to Undergraduate Students via Child and Teen Perspectives. Manuscript in preparation. To be submitted to the *Journal of Intercultural Studies* in Fall 2019.
- Heying, S.**  
N.d. *Los Dos a La Misma Vez*: Understanding the Concurrent Experiences of Long-Term War-Related Trauma and Resiliency among Orphaned Guatemalan Genocide Survivors now in Adulthood. To be submitted to the psychological anthropology journal *Ethos* in spring 2019.

**Heying, S.**

N.d. *Yo Se Quien Soy: Identity and Blood Memory for Guatemalan War Orphans in Adulthood Today.* To be submitted to The Journal for Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology in Summer 2019.

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT MENTORING**

- 2014-2016 Maria Mendez, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM  
**McNair Research Project:** Adolescent Resiliency and Perspectives of *Colonia* Life in the El Paso/Ciudad Juarez Borderlands
- 2015 Nicole Larsen, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR  
**Senior Thesis Research Project:** Efficacy and Cultural Astuteness in HIV/AIDS Advocacy and Treatment Services in Cape Town, South Africa
- 2015 Curran Kleen-Brown, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR  
**Senior Thesis Research Project:** Flavor Preference and the Craft Beer Movement in the Central Willamette Valley of Oregon
- 2014-2015 Joshua Lasky, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR  
**Senior Thesis Research Project:** The Perfect Match: How Online Dating has affected Courtship Rituals in the Willamette Valley of Oregon
- Spring 2013 Reya Almakssosi, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM  
**International Studies Capstone (INTS400):** Female Sexual Oppression

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

- 2019 **Online Teacher of the Year nomination**, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM
- 2016 **The Dr. Teresa Wilkins Award for Faculty Excellence**, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2015 **2014-2015 Student Clubs and Organizations Advisor of the Year**, Western Oregon University.
- 2013 Nomination, **2012-2013 Affiliated Teacher of the Year Award**, Office of Support for Effective Teaching and Faculty Senate Teaching Enhancement Committee, University of New Mexico.
- 2013 Dissertation Recognition, **The 64 Best Cultural Anthropology Dissertations, 2012.** Anthropology Works, Dr. Barbara Miller, <http://anthropologyworks.com/index.php/2013/02/10/the-64-best-cultural-anthropology-dissertations-2012/>.
- 2012-2013 **Teacher Appreciation Recipient**, Sigma Xi Fraternity, University of New Mexico.
- 2012 **2011-2012 Susan Deese-Roberts Teaching Assistant of the Year**, Office of Support for Effective Teaching and Faculty Senate Teaching Enhancement Committee, University of New Mexico.
- 2010 **Outstanding Faculty & Staff Recognition Award**, Teaching Recognition, American Indian Student Services, University of New Mexico
- 2009 **Apple Polishers Teacher Appreciation Recipient**, Chi Omega Sorority, University of New Mexico.
- 2009 **Distinguished Speaker**, Anthropology Department, Graduate and Professional Student Research and Creative Expression Symposium, University of New Mexico
- 2007 **3% Scholars Award**, Office of Graduate Studies, University of New Mexico
- 2005 **Best in Session**, 9th Annual Graduate Student Spring Symposium, University of New Mexico

## PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

- 2016 *Living with Fear?: Muslim Child and Youth Experiences with Islamophobia in a Rural New Mexico Bordertown*, Society for Cross-Cultural Research Annual Meetings, Portland, Oregon. February 20.
- 2016 **Panel Chair:** *Overcoming Ethnocentrism and Islamophobia*, Society for Cross-Cultural Research Annual Meetings, Portland, Oregon. February 20.
- 2016 *Adolescent Perspectives on Colonia Life in the El Paso/Ciudad Juárez Borderlands*, Paper Presentation with undergraduate mentee Maria Mendez, Society for Cross-Cultural Research Annual Meetings, Portland, Oregon. February 19.
- 2015 *Los Dos a la Misma Vez: Understanding Long-Term War-Related Trauma and Resilience among Orphaned Guatemalan Child Survivors in Adulthood*, Paper Presentation, Congreso Interamericano de Psicología, Lima, Peru. July 13.
- 2015 *Finding Hope: Guatemalan War Orphans' Responses to the Long-Term Consequences of Genocide*, Social Sciences Division Symposium Presentation, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR. May 14.
- 2015 **Panel Chair and Organizer:** *Adolescents across Borders: Teen Perspectives on Health, Environment, and Community in Guatemala and the U.S./Mexico Borderlands*, Society for Cross-Cultural Research Annual Meetings, Albuquerque, New Mexico. February 20.
- 2015 *Learning from Youth: What Teens have to Offer to Improving and Enhancing Qualitative and Quantitative Research*, Paper Presentation, Society for Cross-Cultural Research Annual Meetings, Albuquerque, NM.
- 2011 **Panel Chair and Organizer:** *Legacies of the Past and Transformations for the Future: Reimagining Trajectories in Latin America*, American Anthropological Association Annual Meetings, Montreal, Canada. November 16.
- 2011 *Re-Rooting in a Post-War Era: Identity and Belonging in Adulthood for Guatemala's War Orphans*, Paper Presentation, American Anthropological Association Annual Meetings, Montreal, Canada. November 16.
- 2011 *Education and Resilience: Guatemalan War Orphans' Use of Advanced Education to Overcome the Long-Term Effects of Genocide*, Paper Presentation, AAA Anthropology of Children and Childhood Interest Group Annual Meeting, Charleston, South Carolina. February 17.
- 2010 *Guatemala's War Orphans: Thriving and Hope despite Adversity*, Paper Presentation, Society for Cross-Cultural Research Annual Meeting, Albuquerque, New Mexico. February 20.
- 2009 *Thriving in the Face of Adversity: Guatemalan War Orphans' Experiences in Overcoming Trauma and Loss*, Paper Presentation, American Anthropological Association Annual Meetings, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. December 2.
- 2009 *Defying Trauma: Post-Traumatic Growth among Guatemala's War Orphans*, Paper Presentation, Society for Applied Research, Santa Fe, New Mexico. March 19.
- 2009 *Tiene Que (You Just Have To): Survival and Thriving among War Orphans in Post-Conflict Guatemala*, Paper Presentation, Graduate and Professional Student Research and Creative Expression Symposium, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico. April 4.
- 2008 *Working with War Orphans Who are Now Adults in Post-Conflict Guatemala*, Research Presentation, Guatemala Scholars Network Conference, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN. October 12.
- 2005 *Mediating the Doctor-Patient Relationship?: Promotor as Mental Health Practitioners in Primary Care*, Paper Presentation, American Anthropological Association Annual Meetings, Washington, DC. December 1.

- 2005 *Promotoras in Primary Care: The Challenges of Implementing a Promotora Model to Identify and Treat Depression among Patients of Community Health Clinics in Urban New Mexico,* Paper Presentation, Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meetings, Santa Fe, New Mexico. April 7.
- 2005 *Mental Health Services in Primary Health Care: Implementing a Promotora Model as an Innovative, Low-Cost Strategy to Identify and Treat Depression among Patients of Community Health Clinics in Urban New Mexico,* Paper Presentation, Anthropology Graduate Student Union Symposium, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico. March 25.
- 2004 *Identity and Survival: Understanding "Ladinoization" Among Indigenous War Orphans in Post-Conflict Guatemala,* Anthropology Graduate Student Union Symposium, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico. March 26.

## GUEST LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

- 2012 *Creating your Teaching Portfolio,* Workshop Presenter, Anthropology Graduate Student Union Annual Conference, University of New Mexico, March 31.
- 2010 *Guatemala's War Orphans: Thriving and Hope despite Adversity,* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 130.002: Cultures of the World, University of New Mexico, March 24.
- 2009 *Applied Anthropology: Utilizing Cross-Disciplinary Methods with War Orphans in the Post-Conflict Guatemala,* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 130.005: Cultures of the World, University of New Mexico, March 23.
- 2007 *Reuniting Old Friends: Applying Psychological Methods in Anthropological Research Today,* Invited Guest Lecture, Psychology 355: Clinical Psychology, University of New Mexico, February 19.
- 2006 *Cultural Exchange and Survival: A Guatemalan Case Study,* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 130.002: Cultures of the World, University of New Mexico, December 5.
- 2006 *Language and Communication: Exploring Linguistic Anthropology,* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 130.002: Cultures of the World, University of New Mexico, October 17.
- 2006 *Reuniting Old Friends: Applying Psychological Methods in Anthropological Research Today,* Invited Guest Lecture, Psychology 355: Clinical Psychology, University of New Mexico, October 3.
- 2006 *Anthropology in Your Own Backyard: Principles of Applied Anthropology,* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 130.002: Cultures of the World, University of New Mexico, September 14.
- 2006 *Injustice and Profit: The Use/Misuse of Mayan Indigenous Images in Guatemala,* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 385: The "Indian" in American Media, University of New Mexico, April 20.
- 2006 *Anthropology in the 'Here and Now',* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 330.003: Principles of Cultural Anthropology, University of New Mexico, April 20.
- 2006 *Does Clothing Really Matter?: An Anthropological Perspective of Traditional Maya Traje,* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 330.001: Principles of Cultural Anthropology, University of New Mexico, April 13.
- 2005 *Atanarjuat (Fast Runner): An Active Discussion of Self/Representation, Oral History, Agency and Culture, and Legends,* Invited Guest Lecture, Anthropology 530: Anthropology in Popular Cinema, University of New Mexico, November 21.

## FIELD WORK

- 2014-2015 **Undergraduate Community-Based Research and Service Learning Project**, Effects of the Mexican Drug War, Immigration, and Globalization on Mexican Youth living in the Borderlands (El Paso/Juarez), Peace Studies Program, University of New Mexico.
- 2011 **Interdisciplinary Research**: Cognitive Differences in Pre-School Children, Albuquerque, New Mexico and Mérida, Yucatán, México.
- 2007-2008 **Dissertation Research**: War Orphans' Responses to the Long-Term Consequences of Genocide, Guatemala, Central America.
- 2006 **Preliminary Dissertation Research** with *Hogares Santa María de Guadalupe* (home for orphaned children), Guatemala, Central America.

## UNIVERSITY AND DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

- 2018-2019 **Faculty Advisor**, Filipino Club, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2017-2019 **Faculty Advisor**, UNITY Club, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2016-2019 **Faculty Advisor**, Student Senate, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2017-2018 **Faculty Advisor**, Enrichment Club, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2016-2018 **Chair**, Filipino Week Organizing Committee, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2016-2018 **Organizer**, Awareness Day 2016, 2017 and 2018, University of New Mexico-Gallup
- 2016-2018 **Committee Member**, Constitution and By-laws Committee of the Faculty Assembly, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2016-2017 **Co-Chair**, HERstory (Women's History) Month Commemoration Committee, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2015-2017 **Secretary**, Faculty Assembly, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2015-2017 **Operations Committee**, Faculty Assembly, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2016 **Committee Member**, Psychology Faculty Position Search Committee, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2016 **Committee Member**, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Summit Planning Committee, University of New Mexico-Gallup, Gallup, NM
- 2015-2016 **Committee Member**, Faculty Salary Equity Committee, Faculty Senate, University of New Mexico-Gallup, NM
- Spring 2015 **Reviewer**, PURE Insights Publication, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR
- Winter 2015 **Organizer**, Human Rights Awareness Day (March 4), Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR
- Summer 2014 **UNM Peace Studies Program Delegation Member**, Teaching Peace in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Summer Institute for Faculty, Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies (June 16-20), University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN
- Spring 2014 **Faculty Coordinator**, Genocide Awareness Week (April 14-17), University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM



- Fall 2010 **Graduate Student Representative**, Dr. Francis Hayashida Tenure Review Committee
- 2009-2010 **Vice President**, Anthropology Graduate Student Union, Anthropology Department, University of New Mexico
- 2005-2009 **Peer Mentor**, Anthropology Department, University of New Mexico
- 2007 **Grant Reviewer**, Student Research Allocations Committee Grant, Graduate and Professional Student Association, University of New Mexico

### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2012-Present **Member**, Board of Directors, New Mexico Human Rights Projects, Albuquerque, New Mexico
- 2012-Present **Selection Committee Member and Program Advisor**, Model International Criminal Court, New Mexico Human Rights Projects, Albuquerque, New Mexico
- 2009-Present **Ad Hoc Reviewer**, Social Science & Medicine, International Perspectives in Psychology, Qualitative Health Research, and Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved
- Winter 2014 **Faculty Mentor and Chaperone**, Model International Criminal Court (February 16-22), Krzywowa, Poland
- 2013 **Supplemental Author**, *Cultural Anthropology: A Toolkit for a Global Age (2013)*. W.W. Norton & Company, Inc.
- 2008-2009 **Task Force Member**, Guatemala Scholars Network, United States
- 2001 **Volunteer Researcher and Exhibit Curator**, *Día de los Muertos: Honoring the Tradition of the Day of the Dead*, Science Museum of Minnesota, St. Paul, Minnesota.

### MEMBER OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

- 2009-Present The Anthropology of Children and Youth Interest Group (ACYIG)
- 2009-Present Society for Cross-Cultural Research (SCCR)
- 2008-Present Guatemala Scholars Network (GSN)
- 2008-Present Society for Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology (SLACA)
- 2004-Present Society for Applied Anthropology (SFAA)
- 2002-Present American Anthropological Association (AAA)
- 2002-2012 Anthropology Graduate Student Union (AGSU), University of New Mexico
- 1993-Present Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society

### PROFESSIONAL TRAININGS, WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCES

- 2018 **Diversity Summit 2018**, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. September 21, 2018
- 2018 **Frontiers of Children's Rights Summer School**, Grotius Centre for International Legal Studies, Universiteit Leiden, The Netherlands. July 2 – July 6, 2018
- 2018 **Native American Pedagogies**, Center for Teaching & Learning, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. April 29, 2018
- 2018 **Certificate in Online Teaching**, Continuing Education, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. February 1 – April 27, 2018

- 2018      **Quality Matters: Independent Applying the QM Rubric (APPQMR)**, Quality Matters, Annapolis, MD, March 13-27, 2018
- 2018      **Inclusion by Design (Creating More Inclusive Syllabi)**, Center for Teaching & Learning, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. January 10 & 11, 2018
- 2017      **ARIS101: Easy to Use AR Storytelling/Tours/Games for All Situations**, Center for Teaching & Learning, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. October 11, 2017
- 2017      **Game Based Learning**, Center for Teaching & Learning, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. October 4, 2017
- 2002      **Mini-Master of Business Administration in Nonprofit Organization**, University of St. Thomas, Saint Paul, Minnesota. Completion: May 10, 2002.

## FOREIGN LANGUAGE CERTIFICATION

- 1994      **Certificate of Spanish Language Proficiency**, *Proyecto Lingüístico Quetzalteco de Español*, Quetzaltenango, Guatemala, Central America.

## REFERENCES

### Dissertation Committee Chair, UNM:

**Dr. Les W. Field**

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