

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION:

1977	Ph.D.	Sociology	University of Notre Dame
1974	M.A.	Sociology	University of Notre Dame
1971	B.A.	Education	Kearney State College (NE)

### ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:

2004-05	Director, Institute for Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2000-03	Coordinator, Latino and Latin American Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
1996-98	Director, Institute for Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
1996-98	Director, Latino and Latin American Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
1992-96	Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
1992	Acting Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
1992-99	Publications Editor, National Association for Ethnic Studies
1991-92	Associate to the Dean for Planning and Programming, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
1990-92	President, National Association for Ethnic Studies Vice President (1989-90)
1990-92	Director, Minority Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program, The Graduate School, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
1989-90	American Council on Education Fellow, Office of the Provost, Arizona State University
1988-90	Member, Executive Coordinating Committee, National Association for Chicano Studies
1987-89	Chair, Chancellor's Commission on the Status of Minorities, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

- 1986-89 Co-Chair, Steering Committee, Midwest Consortium for Latino Research
- 1984-89 Director, Institute for Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1983 Acting Director (Fall), Institute for Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1981-83 Chair, Executive Coordinating Committee, National Association for Chicano Studies
- 1980-86 Member, Executive Committee, Midwest Latino Council for Higher Education
- 1980-84 Member, Executive Board of Directors, National Hispanic Council on Aging
- 1980-81 Member, Executive Steering Committee, 1981 White House Conference on Hispanic Aging

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

- 2005- Professor, Department of Sociology/Institute for Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1981-05 Associate Professor, Department of Sociology/Institute for Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1986-88 University Freshmen Foundations Professor, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1987 Visiting Associate Professor (Summer), Department of Educational Policy Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 1977-81 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology/Institute for Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1975-77 Instructor, Department of Sociology/Institute for Ethnic Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1974-75 Graduate Instructor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, University of Notre Dame

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

- 1996- Founding Member, Latino Research Initiative, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1990- Founding Member, Midwest Consortium for Latino Research
- 1988-92 Research Associate, Julian Samora Research Institute, Michigan State University
- 1975-92 Research Associate, Bureau of Sociological Research, Department of Sociology, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1977-84 Research Associate, National Chicano Research Network, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan

- 1978-80 Research Associate, Midwest Council for Social Research in Aging, University of Missouri-Kansas City
- 1972-75 Research Associate, Centro de Estudios Chicanos e Investigaciones Sociales, Notre Dame, Indiana
- 1972-74 Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Psychology, University of Notre Dame
- 1971-72 Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, University of Notre Dame

AWARDS AND HONORS:

- 2005 Big 12 Faculty Fellowship
- 2001 Nominated for a 'Leadership for a Changing World' Award, Advocacy Institute, Washington, DC
- 1999 Chancellor's "Fulfilling the Dream" Award for Exemplary Service to the University, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1999 Teaching Council/Parents Association Recognition for Contributions to Students
- 1998 Chancellor's Outstanding Contributions to the Status of People of Color Award, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1998 Big 12 Faculty Fellowship
- 1996 Abbot Frowin Conrad Distinguished Alumni Service Award, Conception Seminary College
- 1992 Charles C. Irby Distinguished Service Award, National Association for Ethnic Studies
- 1989 American Council on Education Fellowship
- 1988 Midwest Consortium for Latino Research Planning Grant, The Joyce Foundation
- 1986 Minority Research Initiation Planning Grant, National Science Foundation
- 1986 Leadership Lincoln II Fellow
- 1982 Happold Research Fellowship, Department of Sociology, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1981 Outstanding Young Man of America
- 1979-80 Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, National Chicano Council for Higher Education
- 1978-79 Postdoctoral Summer Research Fellowship, Midwest Council for Social Research in Aging

- 1978 Junior Faculty Summer Research Fellowship, University Research Council, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1974-75 University Dissertation Year Fellowship, University of Notre Dame
- 1972-74 National Institute of Health Research Assistantship, Department of Psychology, University of Notre Dame
- 1971-72 Graduate Research Assistantship, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, University of Notre Dame

### PUBLICATIONS:

- 2005 Marcela Raffaelli, Gustavo Carlo, Miguel A. Carranza, and Gloria Gonzalez-Kruger  
 "Understanding Latino Children and Adolescents in the Mainstream: Putting Culture at the Center of Developmental Models," Pp.23-32 in L. Jensen and R. Larson (Eds.), *New Horizons in Developmental Theory and Research, New Directions for Child and Adolescent Development*, No. 109. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.
- 2005 Lourdes Gouveia, Miguel A. Carranza and Jasney Cogua  
 "The Great Plains Migration: Mexicanos and Latinos in Nebraska." Pp. 23-49 in V. Zuniga and R. Hernandez-Leon (eds.), *New Destinations of Mexican Immigration in the United States: Community Formation, Local Responses and Inter-Group Relations*. New York: Russell Sage.
- 2005 "Julian Samora Research Institute." Pp.429-30 in Suzanne Oboler and Deena J. González (Editors in Chief), *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Latinos and Latinas in the United States*. Volume 2. New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2005 "Samora, Julian." Pp.59-60 in Suzanne Oboler and Deena J. González (Editors in Chief), *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Latinos and Latinas in the United States*. Volume 4. New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2004 "Latinos Struggle for Equality: A Case Study of Nebraska's Latino Communities," Pp.139-76 in G. Cardenas (Ed.), *La Causa: Civil Rights, Social Justice and the Struggle for Equality in the Midwest*. Houston, TX: Arte Publico Press.
- 2003 National Latino/a Education Research Agenda Project Editorial Committee  
*National Latino/a Education Research Agenda Project Educational Research Framework & Agenda*. New York: Centro de Estudios Puertorriqueños & Research Foundation.
- 2002 Gustavo Carlo, Miguel A. Carranza and Byron Zamboanga  
 "Culture, ecology and Latinos on the Great Plains: an introduction." *Great Plains Research* 12, 1 (Spring): 3-12.
- 2000 Miguel A. Carranza, Gustavo Carlo and Maria Rosario T. de Guzman  
 "The role of research and scholarship in enhancing the quality of life for Latinos on the Great Plains. *Great Plains Research* 10, 2 (Fall): 409-21.
- Gloria Gonzalez-Kruger, Byron Zamboanga, Gustavo Carlo, Marcela Raffaelli, Miguel A.

- 2000 Carranza, David Hansen, Rodrigo Cantarero, and Joel Gajardo  
 "The Latino Research Initiative: An Interdisciplinary Model for Collaborative Community-University Research." *Great Plains Research* 10, 2 (Fall): 359-85.
- 1996 Gretchen Bataille, Miguel A. Carranza and Laurie Lisa  
*Ethnic Studies in the United States: A Guide to Research*. New York: Garland Publishing.
- 1995 Miguel A. Carranza, Evelyn Hu-DeHart, Rhett Jones, and Robert Perry  
 "Ethnic Studies in Academe: Challenges and Prospects for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century," *Explorations in Sights and Sounds* Number 15 (Summer):
- 1990 "The Hispanic presence on the Great Plains: An Introduction." *Great Plains Quarterly* 10 (2):67-71.
- 1982 "Attitudinal research on Hispanic language varieties." Pp. 63-83 in E. B. Ryan and H. Giles (eds.), *Attitudes Towards Language Variation: Social and Applied Contexts*. London: Edward Arnold Press.
- 1980 Ellen Bouchard Ryan and Miguel A. Carranza  
 "Language attitudes and other cultural attitudes of bilingual Mexican American adolescents." *Ethnicity* 7:191-202.
- 1980 Eileen M. Brennan, Miguel A. Carranza and Ellen Bouchard Ryan  
 "Language attitudes of Mexican American adolescents in two Midwestern cities." Pp. 148-56 in P. Schach (Ed.), *Languages in Conflict: Linguistic Acculturation on the Great Plains*. Lincoln, NE: University of Nebraska Press.
- 1980 Ellen Bouchard Ryan and Miguel A. Carranza  
 "A methodological approach to the study of evaluative reactions of adolescents toward speakers of different language varieties." *The Bilingual Review/La Revista Bilingue* 7:23-7.
- 1980 J. Allen Williams, Jr., David R. Johnson and Miguel A. Carranza  
 "Ethnic assimilation and pluralism in Nebraska." Pp. 210-29 in F. Luebke (Ed.), *Ethnicity on the Great Plains*. Lincoln, NE: University of Nebraska Press.
- 1977 Ellen Bouchard Ryan and Miguel A. Carranza  
 "Ingroup and outgroup reactions to Mexican American language varieties." Pp. 59-82 in H. Giles (Ed.), *Language, Ethnicity, and Intergroup Relations*. London: Academic Press.
- 1977 Ellen Bouchard Ryan, Miguel A. Carranza and Robert W. Moffie  
 "Reactions toward varying degrees of accentedness in the speech of Spanish-English bilinguals." *Language and Speech* 20:267-73.
- 1976 Ellen Bouchard Ryan and Miguel A. Carranza  
 "Attitudes toward accented English." *Atisbos* (Winter):27-36.

Also published in: Pp. 52-8 in P. Wilcott and J. Ornstein (Eds.), *College English and the Mexican American*. San Antonio, TX: Trinity University, 1977.

1975 Ellen Bouchard Ryan, Miguel A. Carranza and Robert W. Moffie  
 "Mexican American reactions to accented English." Pp. 174-8 in J. W. Berry and W. J. Lonner  
 (Ed.), *Applied Cross-Cultural Psychology*. Amsterdam: Swets and Zeitlinger B.V.

1975 Ellen Bouchard Ryan and Miguel A. Carranza  
 "Evaluative reactions of adolescents toward speakers of standard English and Mexican  
 American accented English." *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology* 31:855-63.

Also published in: *Linguistics: An International Review* 166:84-104, 1975.

1975 Michael A. Carranza and Ellen Bouchard Ryan  
 "Evaluative reactions of bilingual Anglo and Mexican American adolescents toward speakers of  
 English and Spanish." *International Journal of the Sociology of Language* 6:83-104.

#### WORK IN PROGRESS:

"The Latino Achievement Mentoring Program: Collaborative University-Community Efforts for  
 Creating Change." Manuscript in preparation

"Linguistic equivalency in bilingual survey research." Manuscript in preparation.

"Conducting research in minority communities: ethical and methodological considerations."  
 Manuscript in preparation.

#### REPORTS, REVIEWS, UNPUBLISHED PAPERS:

2006 Rebecca J. Vogt, R.L. Cantrell, M.A. Carranza, B.B. Johnson and A. Tomkins  
 Perceptions of Latin American Immigration Among Rural Nebraskans – 2006 Nebraska Rural  
 Poll Results. Center Research Report 06-5. Lincoln, NE: Center for Applied Rural Innovation.

2004 Lisa Knoche, Miguel A. Carranza and Marcela Raffaelli with Gustavo Carlo and Gloria  
 Gonzalez-Kruger  
 The Quality of Life of Latino Adolescents in Lincoln, Nebraska. Lincoln, NE: The Latino  
 Research Initiative.

2004 Miguel A. Carranza and Linda Crump  
 The University of Nebraska-Lincoln 2003-2004 Diversity Report. Report submitted to the  
 University of Nebraska Board of Regents, April 2004. Lincoln, NE: Office of Equity, Access  
 and Diversity, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

2003 Maria Rosario T. De Guzman and Marcela Raffaelli with Rodrigo Cantarero, Gustavo Carlo,  
 Miguel A. Carranza and Gloria Gonzalez-Kruger  
 The Quality of Life of Latino Parents in Lincoln, Nebraska. Lincoln, NE: The Latino Research  
 Initiative.

2002 Miguel A. Carranza and Lourdes Gouveia  
 The Integration of the Hispanic/Latino Immigrant Workforce. Report submitted to the State of  
 Nebraska Mexican American Commission and Task Force on the Productive Integration of the

- Immigrant Workforce Population. Lincoln, NE: May.
- 1989 "Annual Report of the Chancellor's Commission on the Status of Minorities: Recruitment and Retention of Minority Faculty, Staff and Students." M. Carranza, Chair. Lincoln, NE: Chancellor's Commission on the Status of Minorities, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.
- 1988 "Minority faculty recruitment to the University of Nebraska: strategies for program development." Report prepared for the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences. Lincoln, NE: Institute for Ethnic Studies.
- 1985 "The social side of science." Talent Tabloid 4 (2): 1,4.
- 1982 "Review of `Latino Language and Communicative Behavior'." La Red/The Net No. 54 (May): 10-11.
- 1982 "Nebraskans and public welfare." NASIS-81 No. 4. Lincoln, NE: Bureau of Sociological Research, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.
- 1982 "Independence and institutions: living situations for mentally handicapped citizens in Nebraska." NASIS-81 No. 8. Lincoln, NE: Bureau of Sociological Research, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.
- 1982 "Juvenile offenders: public attitudes toward appropriate placements." NASIS-81 No. 9. Lincoln, NE: Bureau of Sociological Research, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

#### GRANT ACTIVITY:

- 2006 Co-Principal Investigator, "Improving the Academic Success of Latino Youth Through the Latino Achievement Mentoring Program II," EducationQuest Foundation; \$30,000 – Funded
- 2005 Principal Investigator, "The Latino Achievement Mentoring Program," Woods Charitable Fund, Inc.; \$30,000 – Funded
- 2005 Principal Investigator, "Improving the Quality of Life for Lincoln, Nebraska's Neighborhoods in Transition," Department of Housing and Urban Development; \$199,952 – Funded
- 2005 Co-Principal Investigator, "Improving the Academic Success of Latino Youth Through the Latino Achievement Mentoring Program," EducationQuest Foundation; \$30,000 – Funded
- 2004 Co-Investigator, "An Exploration of Latino Immigrant Health Across Borders," National Institutes of Health; \$433,768 – Not funded
- 2003 Co-Investigator, "Individual, Family, and Community Reciprocal Influences on Latino/a Immigrants' Health Across the United States and Latin America," UNL Tobacco Settlement Funds; \$50,000 - Funded.
- 2003 Principal Investigator, "The Latino Achievement Mentoring Program," UNL Kellogg LINC II; \$18,950 - Funded

- 2003 Principal Investigator, "Assessing the Quality of Life for Latino/a Faculty, Staff and Students at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln," Institute for Women's Leadership; \$10,000 - Not funded
- 2003 Co-Principal Investigator, "A Longitudinal Study of the Ecological Dimensions of Latino Youth Development," National Science Foundation (Behavioral and Cognitive Sciences); \$716,864 - Not funded
- 2001 Co-Investigator, "University of Nebraska-Lincoln Community Outreach Partnership Center," U.S. Housing and Urban Development; \$388,000 - Funded
- 2001 Co-Principal Investigator, "The Integration of the Hispanic/Latino Workforce Population in Nebraska," State of Nebraska Mexican American Commission; \$30,000 - Funded
- 2001 Principal Investigator, "Borderless Borders: Migration and the Trail of Human Rights," 2001-2002 Rockefeller Humanities Fellowship Program; \$325,000 - Not funded
- 2001 Principal Investigator, "Quality of Life for Latino Families in Lincoln, Nebraska," UNL Kellogg LINC II Fund; \$5,300 - Funded
- 2000 Co-Principal Investigator, "Neighbors Working Together" Project, UNL Kellogg LINC Fund; \$23,500 - Funded
- 2000 Co-Principal Investigator, "The Quality of Life of Latino Families in Lincoln, Nebraska," UNL Layman Funds; \$17,500 - Funded
- 1999 Principal Investigator, "Latino Youth Mentoring Program," Foundation for Educational Funding; \$40,256 - Funded
- 1999 Co-Principal Investigator, "Latino Youth Mentoring Program," Cooper Foundation; \$50,492 - Funded
- 1999 Co-Principal Investigator, "Evaluation of Latino Youth Support and Community Service Development Program," Woods Charitable Fund; \$31,400 - Funded
- 1999 Co-Principal Investigator, "Outreach Development Program," The Sowers Club of Nebraska Foundation; \$2,000 - Funded
- 1999 Co-Principal Investigator, "Neighborhood Leadership Project," NN21; \$5,000 - Funded
- 1998 Co-Principal Investigator, "Neighborhood Strengths and Needs Study," Office of the Chancellor, University of Nebraska-Lincoln; \$5,000 - Funded
- 1998 Co-Principal Investigator, "Latino Community Research Project," Layman Grant Fund, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, \$7,500 - Funded
- 1998 Co-Principal Investigator, "Lincoln CARES Project," College of Arts and Sciences, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, \$24,000 - Funded
- 1989 Co-Principal Investigator, "Social Support, Aging and Ethnicity," submitted to the National

- Institute on Aging, \$442,472 - Approved but not funded
- 1988 Principal Investigator, "A Statewide Needs Assessment of the Hispanic Population," submitted to the State Mexican American Commission, \$2,500 - Funded
- 1988 Co-Principal Investigator, Midwest Latino Scholars Network Conference Grant, submitted to the Inter-University Program for Latino Research, \$15,000 - Funded
- 1988 Principal Investigator, "Focus on Fitness: Research and Design of an Intervention Program to Reach Low Income/ Minority Populations," Centers for Disease Control, \$89,977 - Not funded
- 1988 Co-Principal Investigator, "Planning Grant to Establish a Midwest Consortium for Latino Research," submitted to The Joyce Foundation, \$36,915 - Funded
- 1988 Principal Investigator, "The Hispanic Presence on the Great Plains" Conference Grant, submitted to the National Endowment for the Humanities, \$23,900 - Not funded
- 1987 Co-Investigator, "The Hispanic Presence on the Great Plains," Interpretive Research Grant submitted to the National Endowment for the Humanities, \$183,000 - Not funded
- 1986 Principal Investigator, "An Exploratory Study of Aging in Five Ethnic Groups," National Science Foundation Minority Research Initiation Planning Grant, \$9,990 - Funded
- 1985 Co-Principal Investigator, "Symposium Planning Grant," submitted to the Spanish International Network, \$6,500 - Funded
- 1984 Co-Principal Investigator, "Planning Grant," submitted to the National Chicano Council on Higher Education, \$750 - Funded
- 1984 Co-Principal Investigator, "Testimonial for Julian Samora," submitted to the Ford Foundation, \$13,500 - Not Funded

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

- 2005 Chair, Session on "New and Emerging Latino Immigrant Communities," American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August
- 2005 Chair, Session on "Latinos and Health," *La Cumbre* 2005 – Omaha, Nebraska, April
- 2003 Participant, Nebraska Summit on Educating Hispanic/Latino Youth, Lincoln, NE, December
- 2003 Session Chair, National Conference on "Regionalism and the Humanities," Consortium of Regional Humanities Centers, Lincoln, November
- 2003 Presenter, "University of Nebraska-Lincoln Community Outreach Partnership Center," Outreach Scholarship Conference 2003, University of Wisconsin-Extension, Madison, WI, October
- 2002 Discussant, Community Quality of Life Conference, International Society for Quality of Life Studies, Williamsburg, VA, November

- 2002 Participant, Workshop in Community Schools-Higher Education Partnerships, University of Pennsylvania, March
- 2001 Chair and Discussant, *La Cumbre 2001 - The First Latino/American Studies Summit of the Great Plains*, University of Nebraska at Omaha, April
- 2001 Keynote presenter, "Rural-Urban Contrasts in the Immigrant Experience," Conference on Modern Immigrants: Mexicans in the Rocky Mountain West, Western Wyoming Community College, Rock Springs, WY, March
- 2001 Public Lecture - "From Chiapas to Guatemala City: A View of *El Norte* from Mayan Beginnings," Winter Lecture Series on Human Rights and Migration, Social Action Committee of the Unitarian Church and Nebraska Humanities Council, Lincoln, NE, March
- 2001 Panel Chair, "Bridging the African Diaspora in the New Millenium" Symposium, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, February
- 2000 Guest Co-Editor, *Great Plains Research* 10, 2 (Fall): Special Issue: "The Latino Experience on the Great Plains."
- 2000 Poster presentation, "The Latino Research Initiative: An Interdisciplinary Model for Collaborative Research and Community Programming," National Council for Family Relations Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN, November
- 2000 Organizer and panelist, "Conducting Research in the Latino Community," Fifth Annual National Conference on People of Color in Predominantly White Institutions, Lincoln, NE, October
- 2000 Panel presenter, "Demographic trends for Latino immigrants in Nebraska," State of Nebraska Task Force for the Productive Integration of the Immigrant Workforce Population, Lincoln, NE, September
- 2000 Presenter, "Neighborhood Strengths and Needs Study," NU Directions Symposium, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE, July
- 2000 Participant, SSDAN Workshop, American Sociological Association, University of California at Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, June
- 2000 Chair & Discussant, "Building Family Strengths: International Symposium," University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE, May
- 1999 Workshop presenter, "Immigrant Rights: Employment Issues in Nebraska," Human Rights Day, Lincoln, NE, December
- 1999 Paper presenter, "Human Rights and Human Diversity: Reflections of the U.S. Experience in an InterNational Perspective," International Conference on Racism, Salvador, Bahia, Brazil, September
- 1999 Panel presenter, "U.S. Violations of Human Rights: Amnesty International Accuses," University of Nebraska-Lincoln, September

- 1998 Keynote speaker, Latino Student Academic Recognition Program, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE, April
- 1998 Participant, "Hearing the Unheard: Surveying Minority and At-Risk Populations," The Gallup International Research and Education Center, Lincoln, NE, April
- 1997 Discussant, "Ethnicity and Development: Integrating Cross-cultural and Development Perspectives" Conference, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, NE, November
- 1997 Discussant, "Race, Ethnicity, and Public Discourse" Conference, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, NE, October
- 1997 Keynote speaker, Annual National Hispanic Heritage Month Program, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Missouri River Division, Omaha, NE, September
- 1996 Chair and Organizer, Third Midwest Consortium for Latino Research Scholars Roundtable, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, August
- 1994 Invited panelist, Plenary session - "Ethnic Studies in Academe: Challenges and Prospects for the 21st Century," XXII Annual Conference of the National Association for Ethnic Studies, Kansas City, MO, March
- 1994 Session chair, XXII Annual Conference of the National Association for Ethnic Studies, Kansas City, MO, March
- 1994 Invited presenter, "The Challenge of Diversity for Nebraska's Communities," Nebraska Humanities Council, Lincoln, NE, January
- 1993 Participant, ABEU-Utrecht Consortium FIPSE Project, The Netherlands-Spain-Portugal, December
- 1993 Invited panelist, Plenary session - "The Campus in Transition: Examining and Increasing the Impact of Ethnic Studies and Women's Studies," Educating One-Third of a Nation IV: Making Our Reality Match Our Rhetoric, Houston, TX, October
- 1993 Co-organizer, Nebraska Rural Health Research Center "Improving Health Services Research Related to Rural Minorities" Conference, October
- 1993 Invited presenter, "Multiculturalism as Related to Mental Health Providers," Mid-Plains Center for Professional Services, Grand Island, NE, October
- 1993 Invited keynote speaker, U.S. West SOMOS Hispanic Heritage Month Program, September
- 1993 Co-presenter, 6th Annual National Conference on Race and Ethnicity in American Higher Education, New Orleans, LA, June
- 1993 Panelist, Nebraska Humanities Council Multicultural Education Conference, Lincoln, NE, April
- 1993 Chair and Presenter, Plenary Session - "Unheard Voices," XXIst Annual Conference of the

- National Association for Ethnic Studies, Salt Lake City, UT, March
- 1992 Keynote Presenter, Oregon State System on Higher Education Conference on Minority Education, Corvallis, OR, November
- 1992 Invited Presenter, 9th Annual Ethnic Studies Conference, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH, November
- 1992 Keynote Presenter, "Toward the Year 2000: The Future of Hispanics in the Workplace," at U.S. West SOMOS Hispanic Heritage Month Program, Omaha, NE, September
- 1992 Keynote Presenter, Hispanic Heritage Week Program, Norfolk Arts Council and Northeast Community College, Norfolk, NE, September
- 1992 Keynote Workshop presenter on Latino/Hispanic issues, Project REACH Workshop, Fremont, NE, June
- 1992 Keynote Presenter, Minority Student Leadership Program, Portland State University, Portland, OR, May
- 1992 Keynote Presenter, Workshop on "Hispanics and Social Services," School of Social Work, Portland State University, Portland, OR, March
- 1992 Presidential Address, National Association for Ethnic Studies XXth Annual Conference, Boca Raton, FL, March
- 1992 Session Chair, XXth Annual Conference of the National Association for Ethnic Studies, Boca Raton, FL, March
- 1992 Chair and Presenter, "NACS: A Reflection on 20 Years of Scholarship," at Annual meeting of the National Association for Chicanos Studies, San Antonio, TX, March
- 1991 Paper presenter, Eighth National Forum on Research in Aging, Lincoln, NE, October
- 1991 Chair and Panelist, "Multicultural Issues," Nebraska Department of Social Services 1991 Supervisory Conference - Diversity: Directions for the 90's, Lincoln, NE, October
- 1991 Keynote Presenter, U.S. West Finance/IT Mentoring Program, Omaha, NE October
- 1991 Presenter, Attitudes and Values Program, Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, NE, April
- 1991 Presidential Address, "The role of NAES in Higher Education," XIXth Annual Conference of the National Association for Ethnic Studies, Pomona, CA, March
- 1990 Presenter and Panelist, "Enhancing leadership opportunities for Hispanics in higher education," at the 4th Annual Conference of the Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HACU), Chicago, IL, September
- 1989 Discussant, Arizona Humanities Council Program on "The Year of the Young Reader," Scottsdale, AZ, October

- 1989 Symposium Chair, 1989 Center for Great Plains Studies Symposium "From Spanish Explorers to Plains Settlers: The Hispanic Presence on the Great Plains." Lincoln, NE, April
- 1989 Presenter, American Association for Higher Education National Conference, Hispanic Caucus Forum, Chicago, IL, April
- 1989 Presenter, Research Seminar on Hispanic Issues, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, March
- 1989 Session Chair, 17th Annual conference of the National Association for Ethnic Studies, Seattle, WA, March
- 1989 Invited lecturer, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada, March
- 1989 Invited Participant, Inter-University Program for Latino Research Conference on Latino Research, UCLA, February
- 1988 Workshop presenter, "Culture in the Workplace," Digital Equipment Corporation, Marlborough, MA, December
- 1988 Paper presenter, "Latinos in the Midwest: Prospects for the Future" at the annual National Association for Chicano Studies Midwest Regional Conference, University of Illinois, Chicago, October
- 1988 Session Chair, National Association for Chicano Studies, Midwest Regional Conference, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, October
- 1988 Workshop conductor, U. S. West High Impact Workshop on Hispanic Issues in the Workplace, Omaha, NE, October
- 1988 Keynote presenter, "Parents as Teachers" Workshop, Nebraska Department of Education, Lincoln, NE October
- 1988 Keynote speaker, National Hispanic Heritage Week, Nebraska Department of the Military, September
- 1988 Workshop conductor, U. S. West High Impact Workshop on Hispanic Issues, Minneapolis, MN, August
- 1988 Participant, National Institute on Drug Abuse Technical Review Conference on "Epidemiologic Issues in Drug Abuse Research Among Hispanics," Rockville, MD, July
- 1988 Invited presenter, Inter-University Program for Latino Research Hispanic Leadership Opportunity Program, Stanford University, July
- 1988 Workshop conductor, Northwestern Bell Corporation on "Pluralism in the Finance Corporation," Omaha, NE, June
- 1988 Co-Chair and Organizer, Midwest Latino Scholars Network Mini-Conference, University of

- Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, June
- 1988 Keynote speaker, Summer Pre-College Instruction and Career Experience luncheon, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, June
- 1988 Plenary Session presenter, Annual Conference of the National Association for Chicano Studies, Boulder, CO, April
- 1988 Discussant, Annual Conference of the National Association for Ethnic Studies, Springfield, MA, March
- 1988 Paper presenter, Symposium "An Assertion of Pride: The Rights of Spanish Speakers in the United States," University of Wisconsin Law School, Madison, WI, February
- 1987 Presenter, National Association for Chicano Studies Midwest Regional FOCO Conference, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI, October
- 1987 Presenter, "Disenfranchisement and the immigrant experience: reflections on 200 years of the Constitution," to the Nebraska Committee for the Humanities annual meeting, Lincoln, NE, September
- 1987 Presenter, M.A.A. Summer Workshop, Refugee Assistance Center, Inc., July
- 1987 Paper presenter, "Conducting research in minority communities: ethical and methodological considerations," at annual meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago, IL, April
- 1987 Paper presenter, the annual meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago, IL, April
- 1987 Workshop conductor, Northwestern Bell Corporation Multi-cultural Conference, Minneapolis, MN, March
- 1987 Chair and presenter, Symposium on "Employers, Immigration and the Workplace," Creighton University, Omaha, NE, February
- 1987 Workshop Conductor on cultural awareness and differences training, Hall County Head Start Program, Grand Island, NE, February
- 1987 Discussant, 15th annual conference of the National Association for Ethnic Studies, San Diego, CA, February
- 1987 Keynote speaker, the Nebraska State Government Chapter of the National Management Association, Lincoln, NE, January
- 1986 Paper Presenter, National Association for Chicano Studies Midwest Regional FOCO Conference, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, November
- 1986 Keynote presenter on Hispanic Awareness at Omaha Public Schools Staff Development Training Program, Omaha, NE, June
- 1986 Presenter, Lincoln Public Schools Educational Equity Staff Training, June

- 1986 Participant, National Endowment for the Humanities Regional Orientation Conference, San Diego, CA, April
- 1986 Workshop conductor, Northwestern Bell Multicultural Conference, Omaha, NE, January
- 1985 Presenter, Hispanic Awareness Week, Nebraska Air Guard and National Guard, Lincoln, NE, September
- 1985 Presenter, Nebraska State Penitentiary Staff Development Program, Lincoln, NE, April
- 1985 Presenter, Nebraska National Guard Staff Development Seminar, Ashland, NE, April
- 1985 Workshop co-presenter, "Developing Materials for Teaching Chicano Studies in Sociology," Annual meeting of the National Association for Chicano Studies, Sacramento, CA, March
- 1985 Presenter, Department of Psychology Special Interest Group Colloquium, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, March
- 1985 Presenter, Center for Great Plains Studies 1985-86 Colloquium Series, "The Mexican Presence on the Plains." University of Nebraska-Lincoln, February
- 1984 Discussant, First International Conference on Status, Expectations and Other Social Processes, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, November
- 1984 Workshop presenter, the Fall Conference of the Nebraska Juvenile Justice Association, North Platte, NE, October

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

- 2005- Member (appointed), American Sociological Association Committee on the Status of Racial and Ethnic Minorities
- 2004 Panel Chair and Reviewer, HUD Office of University Partnerships, Community Outreach Partnership Center "Hispanic Serving Institutions Assisting Communities" Panel, Washington, DC, July
- 2003 Reviewer, HUD Office of University Partnerships, Community Outreach Partnership Center "New Directions" Grant panel, Washington, DC, July
- 2003 Panel Chair and Reviewer, NSF Course, Curriculum, and Laboratory Improvement-Educational Materials Development Panel, Washington, DC, July
- 2003 Reviewer, NSF Course, Curriculum and Laboratory Improvement - Adaptation and Implementation Panel, Washington, DC, January
- 2001- Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Hispanic Higher Education*
- 2001-04 Member (elected), American Council on Education Council of Fellows Executive Committee

- 2000 Guest Co-Editor, *Great Plains Research* Special Issue: "The Latino Experience on the Great Plains."
- 2000- Member, National Advisory Board, National Latino Education Research Agenda Project (NLERAP)
- 2000-03 Member (appointed), Ad Hoc Task Force on ASA Journal Diversity, American Sociological Association
- 1999 Participant, Border CAPT Research Work Group, San Diego, CA, May
- 1998- Chair, Board of Directors, Midwest Consortium for Latino Research  
Member, Board of Directors (1990- )
- 1997 Chair, Special Emphasis Review Panel I on Center for Substance Abuse Prevention's U.S. - Mexico Border Initiatives, Department of Health and Human Services SAMHSA, Washington, DC, August
- 1996-97 Project Evaluator, Nebraska Humanities Council Grant - "Mexican American Traditions Project," produced by the Nebraska State Historical Society and Nebraska State Mexican American Commission
- 1995 Member, Council of Colleges of Arts and Sciences (CCAS) Annual Meeting Program Committee
- 1994 Expert consultant/reviewer, National Endowment for the Humanities' "National Conversation Kit on American Pluralism and Identity," October
- 1993-96 Member (elected), American Council on Education Council of Fellows Executive Committee  
Member, Annual Fund Committee (1993-94)  
Member, Nominations Committee (1993-95)
- 1993 Grant reviewer, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, "Critical Populations: Rural/Migrant Populations" Program, Rockville, MD, July
- 1993 Grant reviewer, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Ottawa, Canada, Spring
- 1993 Member, Chancellor Search Committee, Southeast Community College, Lincoln, NE, Spring
- 1992-99 Editor, *Ethnic Studies Review* (formerly *Explorations in Ethnic Studies*)
- 1992-99 Publications Editor, National Association for Ethnic Studies
- 1992-96 Faculty Coordinator/Liaison, "Enhance Your Future" Conference, The Graduate School, Michigan State University
- 1992-96 Treasurer (elected), National Association for Chicano Studies Midwest Region

- 1992 External Reviewer, Academic Program Review, Black Studies and Chicano Studies Programs, Metropolitan State College of Denver, Denver, CO, September
- 1992 Chair, Office of Substance Abuse Program Social Sciences Review Panel, April
- 1992 Co-Chair, External Review Team, Academic Program Review of Center for Studies of Ethnicity and Race in America, University of Colorado at Boulder, February
- 1992 Chair, National Science Foundation Instrumentation and Laboratory Improvement Program Review Panel, January
- 1991-92 Member, American Council on Education Fellowship Evaluation Committee
- 1991 Member, National Science Foundation Instrumentation and Laboratory Improvement Program Review Panel, January
- 1990- Member, Board of Directors, Midwest Consortium for Latino Research
- 1990-92 Member, Committee on Minority Scholars, Midwest Sociological Society
- 1990 Member, ACE Working Papers Reunion Committee, Michigan State University
- 1989-02 Member, Editorial Board, *Latino Studies Journal*
- 1988-96 Faculty Affiliate, The Graduate School, University of Texas-Austin
- 1988-90 Member, Coordinating Committee, National Association for Chicano Studies  
1981-83 Chair (1981-83)
- 1988 Grant Reviewer, Nebraska Department of Health Minority AIDS Health Education/Risk Reduction Proposal Review Committee
- 1988 Member, National Chicano Visual Art Exhibition, Midwest Regional Committee
- 1987-89 Member, Nebraska Department of Health AIDS Technical Advisory Committee
- 1987-89 Member, Nebraska Department of Health AIDS Review Panel
- 1987 Member, Nebraska Department of Health Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Review Committee, Summer
- 1986-99 Member, Board of Directors, National Association for Ethnic Studies  
President (1990-92); Vice President (1989-90);  
Chair, Membership Committee (1987-89); Publications Editor (1992-99)
- 1986-90 Member, Midwest Consortium for Latino Research Planning Committee  
Co-Chair (1986-89)
- 1986 Member, National Hispanic Scholarship Fund Regional Review Committee

- 1985-87 Member, Editorial Review Committee, Ernesto Galarza Monograph Series, Southern Methodist University
- 1985-86 Member, Nominations Committee, American Sociological Association Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities
- 1985-86 Member, Program Committee, American Sociological Association Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities
- 1984-85 Chair, Elections Committee, Society for the Study of Social Problems
- 1981-83 Chair, Coordinating Committee, National Association for Chicano Studies

UNIVERSITY-RELATED SERVICE:

- 2004- 05 Member, Chancellor's Commission on the Status of People of Color
- 2003-04 Member, Presidential Search Advisory Committee, University of Nebraska Systems
- 2003-05 Member, University-Wide Diversity Committee, University of Nebraska Systems
- 2003- Member, Academic Senate Committee on Committees
- 2003-05 Member, Bruhn Professorship Faculty Search Committee, Department of Sociology
- 2003-04 Chair, Social Inequality/Minority Health Faculty Search Committee
- 2003 Presenter, "Workloads and Responsibilities of Graduate Students," Office of Graduate Studies Summer Research Program, June
- 2002-03 Member, Native American Studies Faculty Search Committee
- 2002 Panelist, "Going to Graduate School," Undergraduate Sociology Association, November
- 2002 Panelist, Latino/Latina Issues Workshop, Sigma Lambda Gamma Sorority, Nu Beta Chapter, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, September
- 2002 Presenter, Hispanic Heritage Celebration, Special Emphasis Program Committee, Department of Veterans Affairs Regional Office, Lincoln, NE, September
- 2001- 2005 Chief Advisor, Chicano Studies
- 2001-04 Member, National People of Color in Predominantly White Institutions Conference Planning Committee
- 2001-04 Chair, Graduate Committee, Department of Sociology

- 2001-04      Coordinator, Latino and Latin American Studies, Institute for Ethnic Studies
- 2001-03      Chief Advisor, Latin American Studies
- 2001-03      Facilitator, Gallup UNL Climate Survey
- 2001-03      Member, McNair Advisory Committee
- 2001          Presenter, Panel on "Service responsibilities: When to say 'YES' and how to say 'NO,'" Teaching and Learning Center, February
- 2000-02      Member, Executive/Rewards Committee, Department of Sociology
- 2000-          Member, Executive Committee, Institute for Ethnic Studies
- 2000-04      Member (elected), UNL Graduate Council
- 2000          Presenter, "Neighbors Working Together Project," Rural Social Sciences Seminar, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, November
- 2000-02      Member, Planning Committee, Center for Great Plains Studies 2002 Symposium on "Migrations"
- 2000          Member, UCARE Coordinator Search Committee
- 1999-02      Member, Advisory Committee, "Building Family Strengths" International Symposium, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 1999-01      Coordinator, ASA Minority Opportunities Through School Transformation (MOST) Program, Department of Sociology
- 1999-01      Member, Undergraduate Committee, Department of Sociology
- 1999-01      Chair, Budget and Merit Committee, Institute for Ethnic Studies
- 1999-01      Member, Curriculum Committee, Institute for Ethnic Studies
- 1999          Facilitator, Movie "Skin Deep," UNL Athletic Department, February
- 1998-01      Undergraduate Research Coordinator, Department of Sociology
- 1998-01      Steering Committee Member, Human Rights and Human Diversity Initiative, College of Arts and Sciences
- 1998          Participant, Workshop on Diversity and Gender Equity, April
- 1998          Member, Search Committee, Associate Director for Student Opportunities and Services (SOS), Office of Multicultural Affairs, Spring
- 1997-98      Member, Martin Luther King, Jr, Convocation Planning Committee

- 1997-98 Member, Faculty Town Hall for Diversity
- 1997-98 Member, Center for Great Plains Studies 1998 "Health and Lifestyle, Sport and Recreation on the Great Plains" Symposium
- 1997 Panelist, "Racist Symbols and Their Impact on Students of Color and the University Community," February
- 1996-97 Member, College of Arts and Sciences' Ad Hoc Committee on Joint Appointments
- 1995-97 Member, Graduate Committee, Department of Sociology  
1986-88  
1980-82
- 1995-96 Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Equivalent Rank and Titles
- 1994-95 Member, Master's Week Screening Committee
- 1994-95 Chair, Department of Sociology Grade Appeals Committee
- 1993-94 Member, Task Force on Academic Policies for Students with Learning Disabilities
- 1993 Presenter, "Dimensions of Latino Art," Sheldon Art Gallery Docents, March
- 1992 Member, Department of Curriculum and Instruction Faculty Evaluation Review Committee (for Teresita Aguilar), Spring
- 1992 Presenter, Hispanic Student Red Letter Day Panel, October
- 1992 Presenter, Provided Testimony on LB 922 - Multicultural Education Bill - Nebraska Legislature Education Committee, Lincoln, NE, January
- 1991-97 Member, Faculty and Staff for Cultural Diversity
- 1991-92 Chair, Institute for Ethnic Studies Director Search Committee
- 1991-92 Co-organizer, Cultural Diversity Summits (Fall and Spring)
- 1991-92 Member, Teachers College General Education Review Committee
- 1991 Presenter, "The Minority Climate at UNL," University of Nebraska Board of Regents Meeting, Lincoln, NE, October
- 1991 Panelist, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Minority Graduate Research Symposium, Lincoln, NE, April
- 1991 Panelist, "Political Correctness" at Insuring Tomorrow Student Conference, April
- 1991 Presenter, University of Nebraska Red Letter Days for Hispanic Students, April

- 1990-92 Director, Minority Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program, Graduate School
- 1990-91 Member, Chancellor Advisory Search Committee
- 1990-91 Member, Department of Sociology Search Committee
- 1990-91 Chair, Psychology/Ethnic Studies Faculty Search Committee
- 1990-91 Member, University Student Appeals Board
- 1990-91 Member, Chancellor's Commission on the Status of Minorities
- 1987-89 Appointed Initial Chair of Inaugural Commission (1987-89)
- 1989 Member, Faculty Senate Ad Hoc Committee on Professional Conduct
- 1988-89 Member, College of Arts and Sciences Ad Hoc Committee on Minority Recruitment
- 1988 Participant, "Appreciating Cultural Diversity" Retreat, Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs, October
- 1988 Co-Chair, Chancellor's Reception for New Minority Faculty and Staff
- 1988 Member, BOPHA Symposium Planning Committee, August-September
- 1988 Member, "Appreciating Cultural Diversity" Program Planning Committee, May
- 1988 Panelist, University Program Council Faculty Series - "Minority Faculty Recruitment/Retention," May
- 1988 Panelist, "Nebraska's Mexican Heritage," Chicano Awareness Days, April
- 1988 Presenter, Principal/Counselor Freshmen Advising Conference, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE, April
- 1987-89 Chief Advisor, Black Studies
- 1987-88 Member, Chancellor's Task Force on Image and Communication
- 1987 Faculty participant, Omaha South Minority Student Visit, Multicultural Affairs, December
- 1987 Member, Ad Hoc Review Committee of the Task Force on Admissions, Standards, and Access, University of Nebraska Systems
- 1987 Keynote speaker, American Minority Council Honor's Program, University Programming Council, April
- 1987 Session Chair, 1987 Center for Great Plains Studies Symposium "Women's Culture in the Great Plains," March

- 1986-87 Member, Executive Committee, Department of Sociology
- 1986-87 Member, 1987 Center for Great Plains Symposium Planning Committee
- 1986-87 Member, Harry S. Truman Scholarship Review Committee
- 1986 Presenter at Student Center 4: Staff Development Session, December
- 1986 Session Chair, "Health Care Issues," Nebraska Undergraduate Sociological Symposium, Lincoln, NE, November
- 1986 Participant, Faculty Mentoring Project, August
- 1986 Panelist, Mexican American Student Association's Chicano Awareness Days, April
- 1986 Presenter, School of Health, Physical Education and Recreation Mini-Conference, April
- 1986 Session Chair, 1986 Center for Great Plains Studies Symposium "Plains Indian Cultures: Past and Present Meanings," March
- 1986 Participant, University Foundations Program Workshop, Omaha, NE, March
- 1986 Participant, Faculty Evaluation Workshop, January
- 1986 Member, Culture Center Advisory Board
- 1985 Participant, Hispanic Student Orientation, September
- 1984 Panelist, University Program Council "Election '84 Symposium", Spring
- 1984 Member, Bilingual Education/Ethnic Studies Search Committee, Spring
- 1984 Outside member, American Psychological Association's Minority Consultation Site Visit Review Committee, Department of Psychology, January
- 1983-89 Chief Advisor, Ethnic Studies
- 1983-89 Member, Board of Directors, Center for Great Plains Studies
- 1982-83 Member, Search Committee, Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences
- 1980-82 Chair, Curriculum Committee, Department of Sociology
- 1980-84  
1977-79 Chief Advisor, Chicano Studies
- 1978-79 Chief Advisor, Sociology
- 1978-79 Chair, Undergraduate Committee, Department of Sociology

- 1978 Member (pro-tem), College of Arts and Sciences Grading Appeals Committee
- 1977-79 Vice Chair, Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Mexican American Affairs
- 1976-79 Faculty Advisor, Mexican American Student Association

COMMUNITY-RELATED SERVICE:

- 2004- Member, Board of Directors, Voices for Children in Nebraska
- 2003- Member, Lincoln YMCA Community Services Branch, Committee of Management
- 2003 Delegate - Upper Midwest Region, YMCA National Assembly, Chicago
- 2003 Provided expert testimony regarding "Elimination of the Mexican American Commission" to the State of Nebraska Appropriations Committee, February
- 2002 Keynote Speaker, Mexican Awareness Through Association (MATA) Annual Symposium, Lincoln Correctional Center, December
- 2001- Member, Board of Directors, EducationQuest Foundation
- 2001 Keynote Presenter, "The changing demographics of Nebraska," at the Nebraska Press Association Annual Meeting, Hastings, NE, September
- 1998 Member, Search Committee, Leadership Lincoln Executive Director, Spring
- 1997 Panelist, Community Panel on "A Conversation on Race in Our Community," Lincoln, NE, December
- 1997 Delegate (elected), National YMCA General Assembly, St. Louis, MO, June
- 1996 Member, Selection Committee, Youth Leadership Lincoln
- 1994-00 Member, Board of Directors, Lincoln YMCA  
Recruitment Committee (2000); Camp Kitaki Long Range Planning (1999);  
Trails Task Force (1996-97); Resource Development Committee (1996);  
Nominating Committee (1995-96)
- 1992-96 Member, Board of Directors, Citizens Against Racism and Prejudice, Lincoln, NE
- 1992 Presenter, Cinco de Mayo Program, Sheridan Elementary School, Lincoln, NE, May
- 1990-96 Member, Board of Directors, Leadership Lincoln, Inc.  
Chair, Program Committee (1991-92); Chair, Selection Committee (1993-94)
- 1990 Participant, National Issues Forum: "Remedies for Racial Inequality," Leadership Lincoln Alumni Association, October

- 1990 Panel Moderator, "People of Color and the Lincoln Community," Leadership Lincoln Seminar - 'Lincoln: The Sum of Its Parts,' October
- 1988 Presenter, Leadership Lincoln luncheon, May
- 1988 Participant, "Common Ground" Community Television Program on Hispanic Culture, KMTV - Channel 3, Omaha, NE, August
- 1987 Participant, New Horizons for Nebraska Conference, Lincoln, NE, October
- 1987 Member, Leadership Lincoln III Selection Committee, Summer
- 1987 Provided expert testimony to the Nebraska State Legislature's Appropriation Committee regarding funding for State Mexican American Commission, March
- 1986-90 Member, Board of Directors, National Park and Recreation Association Citizen Members Branch
- 1986-90 Member, National Park and Recreation Association Midwest Regional Council
- 1986-89 Commissioner (appointed), State of Nebraska Mexican American Commission, Lincoln, NE Chair (1987); Vice Chair (1986-87)
- 1986-88 Member (elected), Board of Directors, Nebraska Civil Liberties Union Chair, Nominations Committee (1986-87)
- 1986-88 Chair, Nebraska Department of Motor Vehicles Prestige License Plate Review Committee
- 1986-87 Participant, Leadership Lincoln II Fellowship Program, Lincoln, NE, July
- 1986 Participant, Nebraska Hispanic Leadership Conference, North Platte, NE, June
- 1985-89 Member, Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Humanities Advisory Panel
- 1985-88 Member, Board of Directors, Lincoln Multicultural Awareness Center, Lincoln, NE
- 1985-87 Member, Advisory Board, Native American Leadership Foundation, Lincoln, NE Chair, Scholarship Committee (1986-88)
- 1984-88 Member, Board of Directors, Nebraska Committee for the Humanities
- 1984-88 Member, Lincoln Public Schools Multicultural Advisory Committee
- 1980-86 City of Lincoln Parks & Recreation Department Advisory Board 1st Vice Chair (1985-86); 2nd Vice Chair (1984-85)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

American Association for Hispanics in Higher Education  
 American Sociological Association  
 Midwest Sociological Society  
 National Association for Chicano/Chicana Studies  
 National Association for Ethnic Studies

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION/INTEREST:

Chicano/Latino Studies  
 Minorities in Higher Education  
 Minority/Majority Relations  
 Sociolinguistics  
 Sociology of Health & Health Professions

COURSES/SEMINARS TAUGHT

Courses:

Chicanos in American Society (U)\*  
 Cultural Pluralism and Educational Policy (G)  
 Introductory Sociology (U)  
 Introduction to Latino Studies (U)  
 Language and Ethnic Relations (U)  
 Minority Groups (B)  
 Minority vs. White Sociology (B)  
 Nationality and Race Relations (U)  
 Research Issues in Ethnic Studies (U)  
 Social Problems (U)  
 Sociolinguistics (B)  
 Sociology of Health and Health Professions (B)

Seminars:

Freshman Seminar: The Minority Experience (U)  
 General Seminar (G)  
 Immigration (G)  
 Minorities in Higher Education (G)  
 Planning Graduate and Professional Careers (G)  
 Race & Ethnicity (G)  
 Social Inequality & Differentiation (G)  
 University Foundations: Student Life Seminar (U)  
 University Honors (U)

\* ( ) indicates level at which course/seminar was taught; U= Undergraduate, G= Graduate, B= Both

REFERENCES:

Available upon request