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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology Graduate Certificate in Women's Studies Northeastern University, Boston, MA	1999
Master of Arts in Social Anthropology Northeastern University, Boston, MA	1995
Bachelor of Arts in Humanities and Bachelor of Arts in French Seattle University, Seattle, WA	1985

LEADERSHIP ROLES

Latin American & Latinx Studies Program Director	2018 to present
Central America Initiative Faculty Coordinator	2016 to present
Nicaragua Initiative Faculty Coordinator	2014 to 2016
Fulbright Faculty Adviser	2011 to 2019

SERVICE APPOINTMENTS

International Studies Recruitment Coordinator	2018 to present
College Curriculum Committee Member	2018 to 2021 and 2022 to present
College Global Affairs Committee Member	2017 to 2020
International Studies Honors Program Coordinator	2017 to 2018
SUURJ Editorial Board Member	2016 to 2019
Seattle University Sullivan Scholars Junior Class Adviser	2012 to 2015

TEACHING AREAS

International Studies Theoretical and Methodological Frameworks; Global Poverty and the Capabilities Approach; Gender & Development; Conflict Studies; Women and Gender Studies; and Latin American Studies.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Professor 2024 to present
International Studies, Seattle University (Seattle, WA)

Full-time, tenured position teaching undergraduate courses in International Studies. Courses regularly taught include: *Introduction to International Studies; Global Citizenship; Understanding Global Poverty; World Geography; and Conflict & Revolution in Central America.*

Associate Professor 2020 to 2024
International Studies, Seattle University (Seattle, WA)

Full-time, tenured position teaching undergraduate courses in International Studies. Courses regularly taught include: *Introduction to International Studies; Research Methods for International Studies; Understanding Global Poverty; World Geography; Conflict & Revolution in Central America; and International Studies Capstone/Senior Honors Seminar.*

Assistant Professor 2017 to 2020
International Studies, Seattle University (Seattle, WA)

Full-time, tenure-track position teaching undergraduate courses in International Studies. Courses regularly taught include: *Introduction to International Studies; Understanding Global Poverty; Women and Leadership in Latin America; War and Reconciliation; International Studies Capstone/Senior Honors Seminar.*

Instructor 2010 to 2017
International Studies and Matteo Ricci College, Seattle University (Seattle, WA)

Full-time term faculty teaching undergraduate courses in International Studies and the Humanities. Courses regularly taught included: *Understanding Global Poverty; Leadership in Organizations; Women and Leadership in Latin America; War and Reconciliation; Leadership, Discernment and Global Engagement.*

Instructor 1995-1996 and 1997-1998
Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Northeastern University (Boston, MA)

Taught undergraduate core courses in Sociology, Anthropology, and Latin American Studies including *Introduction to Sociology: Institutions and Inequality; Introduction to Anthropology: Cultures of the World; and Latin American Peoples and Cultures.*

Instructor

1997

Departamento de Antropología, Universidad Nacional de El Salvador (San Salvador, El Salvador)

Co-taught an undergraduate Anthropology course, *Gender and Development*, in Spanish which included Anthropological theory, methods, and supervised fieldwork.

RESEARCH AREAS

Social Difference, Intersectionality, and Gender-based Violence in Post-Conflict Settings; Politics, History, and Culture of Central America; Women's Civil Society Leadership in Central and South America; Global Poverty and the Capabilities Approach; and the Impact of Micro-enterprise Lending.

PUBLICATIONS

REFEREED BOOKS

Bellanger, Wendi; Serena Cosgrove; and Irina Carlota Silber, editors. 2022. *Higher Education, State Repression, and Neoliberal Reform in Nicaragua: Reflections from a University under Fire*. New York: Routledge. [Finalist for American Anthropological Association's Council on Anthropology and Education Outstanding Book Award.]

Cosgrove, Serena, and Isabeau J. Belisle Dempsey. 2022. *Imagining Central America: Short Histories*. Cincinnati: University of Cincinnati Press.

Cosgrove, Serena; José Idiáquez; Leonard Joseph Bent; and Andrew Gorvetzian. 2021. *Surviving the Americas: Garifuna Persistence from Nicaragua to New York City*. Cincinnati: University of Cincinnati Press.

Cosgrove, Serena, and Benjamin Curtis. 2021. *Understanding Global Poverty: Causes, Solutions, and Capabilities (Second Edition)*, expanded version with new and revised chapters and new material about careers. New York: Routledge.

Cosgrove, Serena, and Benjamin Curtis. 2021. *Para Entender la Pobreza Global: Causas, Capacidades, y Desarrollo Humano (Spanish Language Ebook Edition)*, includes a new preface by Serena Cosgrove. Managua, Nicaragua: Fondo Editorial UCA Publicaciones [University of Central America Press].

Cosgrove, Serena, and Benjamin Curtis. 2018. *Understanding Global Poverty: Causes, Capabilities, and Human Development*. New York: Routledge.

Cosgrove, Serena. 2010. *Leadership from the Margins: Women and Civil Society Organizations in Argentina, Chile, and El Salvador*. New Brunswick: Rutgers University Press.

REFEREED BOOK CHAPTERS AND JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Bellanger, Wendi; Serena Cosgrove; and Irina Carlota Silber. 2022. "Introduction," *Higher Education, State Repression, and Neoliberal Reform in Nicaragua: Reflections from a University under Fire*. Eds. Wendi Bellanger, Serena Cosgrove, and Irina Carlota Silber. New York: Routledge, 1-18.
- Cosgrove, Serena. 2022. "Chapter 8: Solidarity 3.0 and University Partnerships," *Higher Education, State Repression and Neoliberal Reform in Nicaragua: Reflections from a University under Fire*. Eds. Wendi Bellanger, Serena Cosgrove, and Irina Carlota Silber. New York: Routledge, 137-157.
- Cosgrove, Serena and Ana Marina Tzul Tzul. 2022. "Chapter 7: Latin America: Introducing the Region," and "Organizational Profile: The Guatemalan Women's Group: Supporting Survivors of Gender-based Violence," in *Gendered Lives: Global Issues*. Eds. Nadine T. Fernandez and Katie Nelson. Albany: SUNY Press, 134-155.
- Cosgrove, Serena. 2019. "Who will use my loom when I am gone? An Intersectional Analysis of Mapuche Women's Progress in Twenty-First Century Chile," *The Palgrave Handbook of Intersectionality in Public Policy*. Eds. Olena Hankivsky and Julia Jordan-Zachery. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 592-545.
- Cosgrove, Serena, and Kristi Lee. 2016. "Persistence and Resistance: Women's Leadership and Ending Gender-based Violence in Guatemala," *Seattle Journal of Social Justice*: Spring Issue, 309-332.
- Cosgrove, Serena. 2016. "The Absent State: Teen Mothers and New Patriarchal Forms of Gender Subordination in the Democratic Republic of Congo," in *Gender Violence in Peace and War: States of Complicity*. Eds. Victoria Sanford, Katerina Stefatos, and Cecilia M. Salvi. New Brunswick: Rutgers University Press, 158-170.
- Cosgrove, Serena. 2002. "Levels of Empowerment: Marketers, Micro-Enterprise Lending NGOs, and the Municipalities of Nejapa and Apopa, El Salvador," *Latin American Perspectives Special Issue: Clientelism and Capabilities: Strategies of Empowerment in Latin America*, Issue 125, Volume 29, Num. 5, September: 48-65.
- Ready, Kelley; Lynn Stephen; and Serena Cosgrove. 2001. "Women's Organizations in El Salvador: History, Accomplishments, and International Support," in *Women and Civil War: Impact, Organizations, and Action*, Ed. Krishna Kumar. Denver: Lynne Rienner Press, 183-204.
- Cosgrove, Serena. 1999. "Engendering Finance: A Comparison of Two Micro-Finance Models in El Salvador," in *Housing, Finance, and Gender in Developing Countries*, Eds. Kavita Datta and Gareth Jones. New York: Routledge, 213-226.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Bellanger, Wendi; Serena Cosgrove; and Irina Carlota Silber, editors. *Higher Education and the Authoritarian Turn in the Americas: Academic Freedom, University Autonomy, and Critical Thinking under Threat*. (Under contract with Routledge.)

Cosgrove, Serena. *Heal Her, Heal the Country: Women's Survivor Agency in Postconflict Settings*. Book length manuscript drafted.

Cosgrove, Serena and Isabeau J. Belisle Dempsey. *Imaginar Centroamérica: Historias Breves*. [Translation and expanded content of *Imagining Central America: Short Histories*.] (Proposal submitted to UCA Editores in San Salvador, El Salvador.)

PUBLIC SCHOLARSHIP, ACADEMIC REVIEWS, AND ONLINE COLLABORATIONS

Cosgrove, Serena, and Hallie Evans. *Pending revisions*. Book reviews for *Latin American Perspectives of Roots of Resistance: A Story of Gender, Race, and Labor on the North Coast of Honduras* and *Queer and Trans Migrations: Dynamics of Illegalization, Detention, and Deportation*.

Huete-Pérez JA, Hernandez-Mondragón AC, Massey DS, Cumba García LM, Amadei B, De Leon Sautú N, Acosta ML, Asensio O, Boright J, Cosgrove S, Hernandez Hernandez E, López-Selva M, Manfredi JL, Mondragon F, Natera JM, Picardo Joao OC, Rivero Santos A, and Rocha HO. 2024. "Catalyzing sustainable development: insights from the international workshop on STI policies and innovation systems in Central America." *Frontiers in Research Metrics and Analysis*. 9:1511393. doi: 10.3389/frma.2024.1511393

Cosgrove, Serena, and Julia Alvarez Serrano. A review for *Journal of Anthropological Research of Child Survivors of Genocide: Trauma, Resilience, and Identity in Guatemala* (2021) by Shirley A. Heying, volume 79, number 3, September 2023.

Cosgrove, Serena, and Shayan Chishti. 2019. Core Essay - Sustainable Development Goal #1 and Capabilities: Gender-Based Violence in Guatemala [online]. Available from: <https://www.taylorfrancis.com/sdgo/goal/NoPoverty/all/tlmcontent/fldc48eb-51d8-4f1e-9fe8-e2a272449f5e>

Carlson-Rainer, Elise, and Serena Cosgrove. 2019. "Women and War: Understanding the Nexus of Gender and Conflict," an audio blog for InHomelandSecurity.com of the American Military University: <https://inhomelandsecurity.com/women-war-nexus-gender-conflict/>

Cosgrove, Serena. 2018. "For Many Nicaraguans, Emigration is an Escape Valve," *Connections*. Association of Jesuit Colleges and Universities: <http://www.ajcunet.edu/september-2018-connections/2018/8/20/seattle-university-thematic>

Cosgrove, Serena. 2016. "Q&A about Gender-based Violence in Guatemala," *World Politics Review*.

Cosgrove, Serena. 2012. A review for *The Americas: A Quarterly Review of Inter-American Cultural History of Gender and Populism in Latin America: Passionate Politics (2010)*, edited by Karen Kampwirth.

Cosgrove, Serena. 1999. "Guadalupe's Story: The Complexities of Microcredit," *Grassroots Development: Journal of the Inter-American Foundation*, Vol. 22, Num. 1.

Cosgrove, Serena and Elizabeth Morgan. 1994. "Seizing History in El Salvador," *On the Issues: The Progressive Women's Quarterly*, Winter.

Cosgrove, Serena. 1992. "Case Study: El Salvador, Women, and Substance Abuse," *Programme on Substance Abuse*, World Health Organization, Interim Report.

CREATIVE WORK

Cosgrove, Serena. 2024. Seattle University's Imagining the World Photo Competition. First place for faculty submission of a photo from Guatemala: "Sí, hubo genocidio (Yes, there was a genocide)."

Cosgrove, Serena. 2019. "Vashon: A Walking Meditation," a poem in *The Heart of Vashon: Sharing Our Stories in Pictures & Words*, Vashon Island, WA: Vashon Heritage Museum.

Cosgrove, Serena. 2005. "Fathers," a poem in *Summer Home Review II*, Authorhouse.

Cosgrove, Serena. 1990. *Journey to Bocay*. Vashon Island, WA: Laughing Dog Press.

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES

"Who am I writing for? The conundrums of data analysis, theorizing, and writing about gender violence in post conflict settings," presented for the panel, "*Gender and Politics: Translating between Theory and Practice, Part I*" at the American Anthropological Association 2024 annual meeting, Tampa, Florida, November 12, 2024.

"Inter-university solidarity across the Americas: Reflections from what remains after your partner university has been taken over by an authoritarian dictatorship," presented for the panel, "*Higher Education under Threat across the Americas—Part 2*" at the Latin American Studies Association annual congress, Bogotá, Colombia, June 12, 2024.

"Heal Her, Heal the Country: Women's Leadership to End Gender-Based Violence in Guatemala and Democratic Republic of Congo," presented for the panel, "*Addressing Violence in Africa and Latin America*" on November 15, 2023 at the Latin American Studies Association/Africa 2023 Congress in Accra, Ghana.

“Un país cerrado a la investigación social: reflexiones sobre libertad académica en Nicaragua,” panel discussant at Latin American Studies Association annual congress, Vancouver, BC, May 26, 2023.

“Higher Education and the Authoritarian Turn in the Americas: Academic Freedom, University Autonomy, and Critical Thinking under Threat,” roundtable member and organizer at the Latin American Studies Association annual congress, Vancouver, BC, May 27, 2023.

“The Gendered Ramifications of Postwar: An Intersectional Analysis of Gender Violence and Survivor Advocacy in Guatemala and Democratic Republic of Congo,” a presentation at the European Association of Social Anthropologists, July 26-29, 2022, Belfast.

“The Heartbreak of Solidarity: Bearing Witness with Colleagues in Central America,” presented for the roundtable, *Universities under Fire in The Americas: University Autonomy and Academic Freedom at the Intersection of Repression and Neoliberalism*. Roundtable organizer and presenter: Latin American Studies Association annual congress, May 2022.

“University Partnerships and Solidarity with Nicaragua,” presented for the roundtable, *Analyzing the Ongoing Challenges in Nicaragua since the Civic Uprising of 2018: National and International Perspectives*. Round table organizer and presenter: American Anthropological Association 2021 Annual Meeting, Baltimore, November 2021.

“The University under Fire: Transformative Leadership and the University Manifesto at the Universidad Centroamericana (UCA) in Managua,” roundtable chair and presenter, Latin American Studies Association annual congress, May 2021.

“Nicaraguan Solidarity 3.0 and the New ‘Normal’ in Nicaragua,” presented for the panel, *Exploring the Contradictions of the New ‘Normal’ in Nicaragua: Roots and Ramifications*. Panel organizer and presenter: American Anthropological Association 118th Annual Meeting, Vancouver, November 2019.

“Decolonial Methodologies in Increasingly Complex Times,” presented for the roundtable, *Can universities be decolonial partners? Lessons Learned from Intercultural, Intergenerational, Transdisciplinary Scholarship*, Co-chair and presenter: Native American and Indigenous Studies Association (NAISA) annual meeting, Hamilton, New Zealand, June 2019.

“Radical Persistence Requires Radical Solidarity: Reflections on the Partnership between the Universidad Centroamericana and Seattle University,” presented for the panel, *What does it mean to be a university in times of conflict and protest? Research and Advocacy Efforts of the Universidad Centroamericana-Managua since April 2018*, Panel Organizer, Chair, and Presenter: Latin American Studies Association XXXVII, Boston, May 2019.

“Intersectionality, Indigeneity, and Decolonizing Methods: A Reflection on Collaborative Research with Garifuna Women in Caribbean Nicaragua,” presented for the panel, *Ethnic Minority, Indigenous and Rural Women Versus the State*, American Anthropological Association 117th Annual Meeting, San Jose, CA, November 2018.

“Back in Solidary Again? International University Partnerships and the Crisis in Nicaragua,” presented at the workshop, *“Nicaragua in Crisis: Anthropological Interpretations and Regional and Global Implications,”* American Anthropological Association 117th Annual Meeting, San Jose, CA, November 2018.

“Ending Gender-based Violence in Guatemala: Women’s Civil Society Leadership, Challenges, and Opportunities,” presented for the panel, *“Conflated Harm: Normalizing Domestic Violence, Marginalizing Change Bringers/Providers of Care,”* American Anthropological Association 116th Annual Meeting, Washington DC, December 2017.

“Resistencia y Persistencia II: Reflexiones Metodológicas para la Diáspora del Pueblo Garífuna de Nicaragua,” presented for the panel, *“Nuevos Diálogos para Universidades: Aportes sobre la Realidad Nicaragüense desde el Hermanamiento entre la Universidad Centroamérica-Managua y Seattle University,”* Presenter and Panel Organizer, Latin American Studies Association XXXV, Lima, Peru, April 2017.

“Conversaciones con Abuelas en Chinandega, Nicaragua: Una Reflexión Crítica sobre Metodología de Investigación y Migración,” for the panel, *“La Abuelización de Nicaragua: An Analysis of the Context and Impact of Immigration,”* Presenter and Panel Organizer, Latin American Studies Association XXXIV International Congress, New York City, May 2016.

“What does Sub-Saharan Africa have to teach Latin America? Teen Mothers in Democratic Republic of the Congo,” for the workshop, *“Precarious Memory/Emergent Justice: A Workshop on the State and Gender Violence in Latin America and Beyond,”* Workshop Chair, Organizer, and Presenter, the Latin American Studies Association XXXIII International Congress, San Juan, Puerto Rico, May 2015.

“The Ripple Effect: Mapping the Impact of Women’s Leadership to End Gender-Based Violence in Guatemala,” Presenter and Panel Organizer, the Latin American Studies Association XXXII International Congress, Chicago, May 2014.

“The Limits of Intersectionality: A Critical Analysis of Mapuche Women’s Progress in 21st Century Chile,” International Intersectionality Conference, Vancouver, BC, April 2014.

“The Slippery Slope of Empowerment: An Analysis of Mapuche Women’s Reflections on Multi-Cultural Chile,” Latin American Studies Association XXXI International Congress, May 2013.

“Does Foreign Aid Help or Hurt the Poor?,” co-authored presentation with Benjamin Curtis, PhD at the Global Thinking Conference: The South in the Frame of the North, The North in the Frame of the South, 23 April 2010, Seattle University, Seattle, WA.

“Leading from the Margins: Women and Civil Society Leadership in Latin America,” Key Note Address, Academic Salons Program, Seattle University, April 2007.

“Competing Agendas: Gender, Politics, and NGO Micro-Credit Efforts in El Salvador,” Latin American Studies Association XXII International Congress, March 2000.

INVITED TALKS

“Heal Her, Heal the Country: Women’s Activism in Postconflict Settings,” Keynote Address for CurveCon 2024 (Student Research Symposium), Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Seattle University, Seattle: February 2, 2024.

“Collaborative, International Social Science Research in Guatemala, El Salvador, and Nicaragua: Lessons Learned from University Partnerships 2015-2023,” *Unleashing Potential: Exploring STI Policies, Innovation Systems, and Scientific Progress in Central America* (an international workshop on STI Policy Development in Central America), Georgetown University, Washington DC: September 21 and 22, 2023.

“Investigaciones Cortas ¿Cómo encontrar tiempo para investigar cuando hay poco tiempo y recursos?” [Short Research Projects: How to find time to conduct research when there is so little time and resources?], an in-person workshop with professors at the Universidad Rafael Landívar on March 30, 2023 in Quetzaltenango, Guatemala.

“Race, Gender, and Sexuality in Central America,” a lecture for the Foreign Service Institute’s Central America Subregional Overview course on February 23, 2023 via Zoom.

“Costa Rica: *Pura Vida* and Sustainable Responses to Regional Challenges,” a lecture at the University of Washington’s Foster School’s Global Business Center on December 3, 2022 in Seattle, Washington.

“El Impacto de la Exclusión: Reflexiones Globales sobre Guerra, Conflicto, y Pobreza (The Impact of Exclusion: Global Reflections about War, Conflict, and Poverty),” la lección inaugural (opening lecture) at the Universidad Centroamericana-Managua on February 13, 2020 in Managua, Nicaragua.

“Imagining Central America to Better Understand Central American Refugees,” a talk and facilitated discussion with the management and staff of Refugees Northwest Foster Care on November 19, 2019 in Seattle, Washington.

“Investigación Cualitativa: Metodología y Acercamiento Crítico a la Realidad (Qualitative Research: Methodology and Critical Approaches to Reality),” a talk given at the Universidad Rafael Landívar-Quetzaltenango Campus to faculty and students on June 16, 2018 in Quetzaltenango, Guatemala.

“Intersectionality and Women’s Leadership: Garifuna Women's Responses to Challenges on the Caribbean Coast of Nicaragua,” a talk given at Lehman College’s Center for Human Rights & Peace Studies to faculty and students on November 9, 2016 in the Bronx, NY.

“Conversando con Abuelas en Chinandega, Nicaragua: Una reflexión crítica sobre metodología de investigación y migración (Conversing with Grandmothers in Chinandega, Nicaragua: A critical reflection about research methodology and migration),” a talk given at the Universidad Centroamericana-Mangua, Nicaragua to faculty, students, and the general public on September 30, 2015.

“Leading from the Margins: Women and Civil Society Leadership in Latin America,” Key Note Address, Academic Salons Program, Seattle University, April 2007.

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS

EXTERNAL

Fellow , Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program Support for research and teaching in Guatemala about gender violence	2021-2022
Recipient , Awarded a Wenner-Gren Foundation Grant Support for an authors’ writing workshop with the Universidad Centroamericana-Managua	2020-2021
Grantee , Seattle International Foundation grant recipient Central America Histories Research	2018
Recipient , Fulbright Specialist Roster Teaching and research with the Universidad Centroamericana-Managua	2015-2016
Fellow , National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute in International Development Ethics Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI	July-August 2013
Grantee , Seattle International Foundation and SU Global Grants recipient Research in Guatemala	June 2013
Fellow , Fulbright Doctoral Dissertation Research Fellowship Research in El Salvador	1996-1997
Fellow , Inter-American Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship Research in El Salvador	1996-1997
Teaching Assistantship , Northeastern University Department of Sociology and Anthropology Boston, MA	1993-1996
Fellow , Inter-American Foundation Research Fellowship for MA-level Fieldwork Research in El Salvador	1994

SEATTLE UNIVERSITY

Recipient , SU College of Arts & Sciences Student Research Assistantship Support for scholarship about Timor-Leste	2025
Recipient , SU College of Arts & Sciences Student Research Assistantship Support for scholarship about the Democratic Republic of Congo	2023
Recipient , Seattle University Summer Faculty Fellowship Support for writing up research about Guatemala and Democratic Republic of Congo	Summer 2022
Recipient , Seattle University Endowed Mission Fund Funds to bring NGO leader, Modestine Etoy, from Democratic Republic of Congo to Seattle	2021-2022
Awardee , Provost's Award, Outstanding Service for Tenure Faculty	2020-2021
Awardee , College of Arts and Sciences, Service Award	2020-2021
Recipient , SU College of Arts & Sciences Student Research Assistantship Support for scholarship about the Democratic Republic of Congo	2021
Recipient , SU College of Arts & Sciences Summer Dean's research fellowship Support for scholarship about Nicaraguan Garifuna Persistence	2019
Recipient , SU College of Arts & Sciences Student research assistantship Support for scholarship in Central America	2018
Recipient , Seattle University Summer Faculty Fellowship Support for research in Central America	Summer 2018
Recipient , Seattle University Endowed Mission Fund Research in Democratic Republic of Congo	Summer 2017
Recipient , Seattle University Global Grants Research in Nicaragua	June 2015
Faculty Fellow , SU's Center for Environmental Justice and Sustainability Research in Costa Rica	2014-2015
Recipient , Seattle University Global Grants Research in Ghana	June 2012
Recipient , Seattle University Endowed Mission Fund Research in Chile	Summer 2011

Recipient, Seattle University Endowed Mission Fund
Research in Zambia Summer 2010

Justice Faculty Fellow, Seattle University 2009-2010

Awardee, Centennial Alumnae Award for Service, Seattle University 1991

SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

PROPOSAL REVIEWER

- Fulbright Peer Review Committee for Fulbright Scholar Program (2023-present)
- Fulbright National Steering Committee member for Fulbright U.S. Student Program “English Teaching Assistantships to South America” (2020-2022)
- Fulbright Specialist Program Peer Reviewer (2017-2020)

MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER

Affilia: Feminist Inquiry in Social Work; Latin American and Caribbean Ethnic Studies; Journal of Anthropological Research; Women, Gender, and Families of Color; Politics and Gender; American Anthropologist; Latin American Research Review; Journal of Human Rights Practice; Bulletin of Latin American Research; Sociological Quarterly Review; University of California Press; and State University of New York (SUNY) Press

EXTERNAL REVIEWER FOR TENURE CASES

City University of New York (CUNY) Graduate Center; City College of New York (CCNY); and Widener University (Chester, PA)

ACADEMIC ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

- Latin American Studies Association
- American Anthropological Association

PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP

Seattle International Foundation, board member, treasurer, 2019-present

Seattle International Foundation, Central America strategy adviser, 2012-2019

LANGUAGES

Spanish (fluent), Portuguese (intermediate), French (basic), and study of Mapudungun and Tetun at the introductory level.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE

- The AVINA Foundation (San José, Costa Rica)*** 1997-2009
- Knowledge Management Manager** 2004-2009
- Promoted a learning culture within the foundation and with partners;
 - oversaw direct quantitative and qualitative research about the impact of foundation grants and services;
 - developed and implemented training programs for foundation staff;
 - developed, launched, and improved virtual knowledge sharing tools and strategies; and
 - managed the AVINA Knowledge Management team.
- Knowledge Management Coordinator** 2001-2004
- Worked with AVINA offices and partners to develop and implement project, program and mission-critical Knowledge Management systems; and
 - managed \$1M portfolio of projects.
- Project Evaluation Manager** 2000-2001
- Managed team of analysts and coordinated team contributions for the improvement of project analysis, developed multi-country projects;
 - supervised beneficiary assessments of funded projects; and
 - trained AVINA staff in project analysis.
- Senior Project Consultant and Analyst** 1997-2000
- Analyzed projects;
 - carried out institution-wide impact assessments; and
 - developed project review and due diligence systems.

* The AVINA Foundation is a non-profit organization serving over a thousand partners—civil society and private sector leaders—by supporting their projects for sustainable development throughout Latin America:
<http://www.avina.net/>