

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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## **EDUCATION**

Ph.d in Government, University of Essex, Great Britain, 1990.  
MA in Latin American Government and Politics, University of Essex, Great Britain, 1984.  
BA (Honors) Latin American Studies, Portsmouth Polytechnic, Great Britain, 1983.

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Associate Professor, Department of Government, New Mexico State University (NMSU),  
July 1999 – present

Director, Center for Latin American and Border Studies, New Mexico State University, October  
2003- present

Assistant Professor, Department of Government, NMSU, August 1994 - June 1999

Member of Graduate Faculty, NMSU since Spring 1995

Member of Honors Faculty, NMSU since Spring 1996

Visiting Assistant Professor in Latin American Studies, Brown University and University of  
Connecticut, 1992-1994.

Visiting Researcher, Instituto de Investigaciones Sociales, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de  
México, Mexico City, 1991-1992.

Senior Fellow, Institute of Latin American Studies, University of London, 1989-1991.

Instructor, Department of Languages and Area Studies, University of Portsmouth, Spring 1990.

Visiting Research Fellow, Center for US-Mexican Studies, UC-San Diego, 1988-1989.

Instructor, Department of Anthropology, Universidad Autónoma de Yucatán, Mexico, Fall 1986.

Freelance writer, Keesing's Contemporary Archives of World Affairs, Great Britain, 1985-1986.

## **RESEARCH**

### **1) Publications:**

#### Books:

*Governing Latin America*. (Co-authored with Joe Foweraker and Todd Landman). Oxford: Polity Press and Blackwell Publishers, 2003.

*La Rebelión de Chiapas: la lucha por la tierra y la democracia*. Mexico City: Ediciones Era, 2000.

*The Chiapas Rebellion: the struggle for land and democracy*. Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 1998.

*Party Politics in an "Uncommon Democracy": Political Parties and Elections in Mexico*. (Co-editor with Mónica Serrano). London: Institute of Latin American Studies, University of London, 1994.

*Mexico: Dilemmas of Transition* (Editor). London: British Academic Press and New York: St. Martin's Press, 1993.

#### Peer Review Journal Articles:

"Globalisation and resistance in post-Cold War Mexico: difference, citizenship and biodiversity conflicts in Chiapas" *Third World Quarterly*, vol. 22, no. 6: 1045-1061.

"The Zapatistas, Radical Democratic Citizenship and Women's Struggles" *Social Politics* (special issue on "Citizenship: Latin American Perspectives") 5 (2) Summer 1998: 158-187.

"Rebellion in Chiapas: rural reforms and popular struggle" *Third World Quarterly*, vol. 16, no. 1, 1995:39-73.

“Personal networks and strategic choices in the formation of an independent peasant organization: the OCEZ of Chiapas, Mexico,” *Bulletin of Latin American Research*, vol. 7, no. 2: 299-312.

#### Other Articles:

“El capitalismo ecológico y el Plan Puebla-Panamá: la transformación de los recursos naturales en Mesoamérica” *Comercio Exterior* (Mexico City), vol. 54, no. 4, April 2004: 319-327.

“Globalización, ciudadanía y conflictos por la biodiversidad en Chiapas” *Revista Memoria* (Mexico City), no. 162, August 2002: 13-18.

“Las lecciones de Chiapas,” *Ojarasca* (Mexico City), no. 37, October 1994:6-10.

“Las organizaciones sociales ante el conflicto armado en Chiapas,” *El Cotidiano* (Mexico City), no. 61, March-April 1994:21-25.

“Playing with fire: the implications of ejido reform,” *Akwe:kon. A Journal of Indigenous Issues*, vol. 9, no. 2, (Summer) 1994:20-27.

“Estrategias corporativistas y respuestas populares en el México rural: Estado y organizaciones campesinas en Chiapas desde 1970,” *CIHMECH* (Centro de Investigaciones Humanísticas de Mesoamérica y el Estado de Chiapas). San Cristóbal de Las Casas, Chiapas, no 2, 1991:51-65.

#### Research Papers:

“Rebellion in Chiapas: rural reforms, peasant radicalism and the limits to salinismo,” (2nd edition, revised and updated), Pp.1-49 in *The Transformation of Rural Mexico*, no. 5, La Jolla: Center for US-Mexican Studies, University of California-San Diego, 1994.

“The New Agrarian Movement in Mexico, 1979-1990,” Research Paper 23, London: Institute of Latin American Studies, University of London, 1990.

#### Book Chapters:

“Disputando el desarrollo: Derechos indígenas y el Plan Puebla Panamá en Chiapas » in *Los Pueblos Indígenas en Tiempos del PAN*, edited by Rosalva Aída Hernández and Teresa Sierra, CIESAS, Mexico, 2004.

“The Political Nature of Identities, Borders and Orders: Discourse and Strategy in the Zapatista Rebellion,” in *Identities, Borders and Orders: New Directions in IR Theory*, edited by David Jacobson, Matthias Albert and Yosef Lapid, University of Minnesota Press, 2001.

(with Chris Halverson) “The Secret and the Promise: Women’s Struggles in Chiapas” in *Discourse Theory and Political Analysis*, edited by David Howarth, Aletta Norval and Yannis Stavrakakis. Manchester: Manchester University Press, 2000.

“Las causas de la rebelión en Chiapas” Pp.41-48 en *Chiapas: los desafíos de la paz*, edited by Cynthia Arnson and Raúl Benítez Manaut. Mexico City and Washington D.C: Editorial Porrúa, ITAM and Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, 2000.

“The Peace Process in Chiapas: between hope and frustration” Pp. 129-152 in *Comparative Peace Processes in Latin America*, edited by Cynthia J. Arnson. Stanford, CA and Washington D.C.: Stanford University Press and Woodrow Wilson Center Press, 1999.

“Resisting Neoliberalism, Constructing Citizenship: Indigenous Movements in Chiapas” Pp. 239-265 in *Subnational Politics and Democratization in Mexico*, edited by Wayne A. Cornelius, Todd A. Eisenstadt and Jane Hindley. La Jolla: Center for US-Mexican Studies, University of California-San Diego, 1999.

“El fin del ‘desarrollo’ en Marqués de Comillas: discurso y poder en el último rincón de la selva lacandona.” Pp. 295-310 in *Espacios Disputados: transformaciones rurales en Chiapas*, edited by Reyna Moguel, Gemma Van der Haar and María Eugenia Reyes. Mexico: UAM-Xochimilco and Ecosur, 1999.

“Illegality and Economic Viability on the Post-Modern Frontier: Marqués de Comillas, Chiapas” Pp. 49-72 in *The Transformation of Rural Mexico*, edited by Richard Snyder. La Jolla: Center for US-Mexican Studies: University of California-San Diego 1998.

“Rural Reforms and the Question of Autonomy in Chiapas” Pp. 69-89 in *Ejido Reform and Rural Transformation in Mexico*, edited by David Myhre and Wayne Cornelius. La Jolla: Center of US-Mexican Studies, University of California-San Diego, 1998.

“Lucha Agraria y Reafirmación del Poder Político en Chiapas” Pp. 101-124 in *Las Disputas por el México Rural*, vol.2, edited by Sergio Zendejas and Pieter de Vries. Zamora, Mexico: Colegio de Michoacán, 1998.

“Efectos de las reformas al Artículo 27 en Chiapas: resistencia campesina en la esfera pública neoliberal” Pp.125-53 in *Movimientos Sociales e Identidades Colectivas: México en la década de los noventa*, edited by Sergio Zermeño. Mexico City: Centro de Investigaciones Interdisciplinarias en Ciencias y Humanidades, UNAM/La Jornada Ediciones, 1997.

“Nuevas formas de representación en el campo mexicano: la Unión Nacional de Organizaciones Regionales Campesinas (UNORCA), 1985-1993. Pp.239-82 in *Neoliberalismo y Organización Social en el Campo Mexicano*, edited by Hubert C. De Grammont. Mexico City: Plaza y Valdés/UNAM, 1997.

“Rural Reforms and the Zapatista Rebellion: Chiapas, 1988-1995,” Pp.187-208 in *Neoliberalism Revisited: Economic Restructuring and Mexico’s Political Future*, edited by Gerardo Otero. Boulder: Westview Press, 1996.

“Impact of Reforms to Article 27 on Chiapas: peasant resistance in the neoliberal public sphere,” Pp.151-171 in *Reforming Mexico’s Agrarian Reform*, edited by Laura Randall. New York and London: M.E. Sharpe, 1996.

“The Reshaping of Agrarian Policy in Mexico,” Pp.103-110 in *Changing Structure of Mexico: political, social and economic prospects*, edited by Laura Randall. New York and London: M.E. Sharpe, 1996.

“Rebelión en Chiapas: reformas rurales, radicalismo campesino y los límites del salinismo,” Pp.447-479 in *Chiapas: los rumbos de otra historia*, edited by Juan Pedro Viquiera and Mario Humberto Ruz. Mexico City: Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, 1996.

“Modernización rural y rebelión zapatista: Chiapas, 1988-94,” Pp.215-35 in *Globalización, deterioro ambiental y reorganización social en el campo*, edited by Humberto Carton de Grammont. Mexico City: Juan Pablos/Instituto de Investigaciones Sociales-UNAM, 1995.

“Los retos políticos del desarrollo de base: la Unión de Uniones de Chiapas,” Pp.219-232 in *Autonomía y los nuevos sujetos en el desarrollo rural*, edited by Julio Moguel, Luis Hernández and Carlota Botey. Mexico City: Siglo XXI Editores, 1992.

“La lucha por la tierra en Chiapas: estrategias del movimiento campesino,” Pp. 187-202 in *Movimientos sociales en México durante la década de los ochentas*, edited by Sergio Zermeño and Aurelio Cuevas. Mexico City: Centro de Investigaciones Interdisciplinarias en Humanidades, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, 1990.

“Corporatism and peasant strategies in Chiapas,” Pp. 183-198 in *Popular Movements and Political Change in Mexico*, edited by Joe Foweraker and Ann Craig. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner Publishers, 1990.

#### Encyclopedia essays:

“Minority and Indigenous Rights” in *Encyclopedia of Democratic Thought*, edited by Joe Foweraker and Paul Barry Clarke. London and New York: Routledge, 2001.

Three essays for the *Encyclopedia of Mexico: History, Society and Culture*, edited by Michael Werner. Chicago: Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers, 1997). ( The three essays concern the themes of Agrarian Policy 1940-1994; Rural Resistance and Rebellion 1938-1994; and a biography of peasant leader Rubén Jaramillo).

#### Book reviews:

Various reviews published in *Journal of Latin American Studies*, *Bulletin of Latin American Studies* and *Political Studies*.

#### Forthcoming publications:

Book chapter:“La Remunicipalización en Benemérito de Las Américas y Marqués de Comillas: entre la vía institucional y la vida cotidiana,” in Xochitl Leyva Solano and Araceli Burguete Cal y Mayor (coords.) *La Remunicipalización en Chiapas*. CIESAS, Mexico. Forthcoming in 2005.

Monograph: “La Remunicipalización en Benemérito de Las Américas y Marqués de Comillas” in monograph series *La Remunicipalización en Chiapas*, Xochitl Leyva Solano and Araceli Burguete Cal y Mayor (coords.). CIESAS, Mexico. Forthcoming in 2005.

Article: “Who needs Zapatismo? State interventions and local responses in Marqués de Comillas, Chiapas” *Journal of Peasant Studies*. Forthcoming in 2005.

Article: “La difícil construcción de la democracia pluriétnica: el zapatismo en el contexto latinoamericano” *El Cotidiano*, (UAM, Mexico), forthcoming in 2005.

## 2) Conference Participation

### Meetings of Professional Associations

#### 2004

Latin American Studies Association (LASA). 25<sup>th</sup> International Congress, October 6-9, 2004, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Paper presenter: “Indigenous Rights, Multiculturalism and Democracy in Latin America”

Organizer of panel: “Governing Latin America: comparative approaches to understanding democratic performance”

Western Social Science Association (WSSA), 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, April 21-24, 2004, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Paper presenter: (with Casey Stevens) “Unstable Property: Intellectual Property Rights and the (re)organization of indigenous knowledge in globalized Chiapas”

#### 2003

Latin American Studies Association (LASA), 24<sup>th</sup> International Congress, March 26-30, 2003, Dallas.

Paper presenter:.

Paper: “The Plan Puebla Panamá and Indigenous Rights in Chiapas”

#### 2001

Latin American Studies Association (LASA), 23<sup>rd</sup> International Congress, September 6-8, 2001, Washington DC. Panel organizer and paper presenter:

Panel: La remunicipalización en Chiapas

Paper: “La Remunicipalización en Benemérito de Las Américas y Marqués de Comillas: entre la vía institucional y la vida cotidiana”

International Studies Association (ISA), International Congress, July 24-28, 2001, Hong Kong.  
Paper presenter.

Paper: Globalization and resistance in post-Cold War Mexico: difference, citizenship and biodiversity conflicts in Chiapas

**2000**

Latin American Studies Association (LASA), 22<sup>nd</sup> International Congress, March 16-18, 2000, Miami. Paper presenter:

Paper: "Articulating citizenship and autonomy: experiences from Marqués de Comillas, Chiapas, Mexico"

Panel: Indigenous autonomy and state reform in Latin America: what does it mean to be multicultural?

**1999**

International Studies Association (ISA), Annual Congress, February 16-20, 1999, Washington D.C. Paper presenter.

Paper (coauthored with Chris Halverson): "The Secret and the Promise: Women's Struggles in Chiapas".

Panel: "Gender, Globalization and Citizenship: learning from Latin America"

**1998**

Latin American Studies Association (LASA), 21st International Congress, September 24-26, 1998, Chicago. Paper presenter, organizer and chair for one panel:

Paper: "Illegality and economic viability in Marqués de Comillas, Chiapas".

Panel: "The Political Ecology of Mexico's New Rural Peripheries".

Also participant in roundtable discussion on "Social Justice and Political Change in Mexico".

Third Pan-European International Relations Conference and Joint Meeting of the European Standing Group for International Relations and the International Studies Association, September 16-19, 1998, Vienna. Paper presenter.

Paper: "Indigenous peoples and the Mexican state: a discourse analysis of the connections between identities, borders and orders in Chiapas".

Panel: "Identity and Territorial Borders"

**1997**

American Anthropological Association (AAA), 96th Annual Meeting, November 19-23, 1997, Washington D.C. Paper Presenter.

Paper: "The Zapatistas and Radical Democratic Citizenship".

Panel: "New Social Movements and the Restructuring of the Mexican State: Chiapas and Oaxaca".

Western Social Science Association (WSSA), 39th Annual Conference, April 23-26, 1997, Albuquerque.

Paper: "Resisting Exclusion: lessons from the Zapatistas".

Panel: "Identity, Order and Security".

Latin American Studies Association (LASA), 20th International Congress, April 17-19, 1997, Guadalajara, Mexico. Panel organizer and chair and paper presenter.

Paper: "Indigenous autonomy and ethnic citizenship in Chiapas".

Panel: "Indigenous movements and ethnic citizenship in Mexico".

**1996**

Rocky Mountain Council on Latin American Studies (RMCLAS), Annual Meeting, Santa Fe, March 20-24, 1996. Panel organizer and chair, and paper presenter.

Paper: "The Peace Talks in Chiapas: evaluating the accord on indigenous rights and culture".

Panel: "The Chiapas Rebellion: Assessing the Impact".

**1995**

Latin American Studies Association (LASA), 19th International Congress, September 1995.

Chair and discussant for:

Panel: "Religion, democracy and globalization in southeastern Mexico" and

Discussant for Panel: "Political change in Mexico and the armed conflict in Chiapas".

**1994**

18th International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association (LASA), Atlanta, March 1994. Paper presenter.

Paper: "Effects of ejido reform in Chiapas".

Panel: "The social and economic impact of ejido reform".

**1993**

New England Consortium on Latin American Studies (NECLAS), Brown University, October 1993. Panel organizer and chair and paper presenter.

Paper: "The search for autonomous representation: the case of UNORCA".

Panel: "State-peasant relations in Mexico".

**1992**

17th International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association (LASA), Los Angeles, September 1992. Panel organizer and chair and paper presenter.

Paper: "New forms of representation in rural Mexico".

Panel: "Globalization and new forms of interest representation in Mexico".

**1991**

International Congress of Americanists, New Orleans, July 1991. Paper presenter.

Paper: "The political challenges of grassroots development in Chiapas".

Panel: "Rural development and grassroots organizations in Latin America".

Political Studies Association (Great Britain), Annual Conference, University of Lancaster, April 1991. Paper Presenter.

Paper: "Neocorporatism and neoliberalism in Mexico".

Panel: "Democratization in developing countries".

Society for Latin American Studies (Great Britain), Annual Conference, University of Glasgow, March 1991. Panel organizer and chair and paper presenter.

Paper: "Identity and Strategy in the Teachers' and Peasant Movements in Mexico".

Panel: "Popular movements and political change in Mexico".

**1990**

Society for Latin American Studies (Great Britain), Annual Conference, Oxford University, March 1990. Paper presenter.

Paper: "The struggle for land in Chiapas".

Panel: "Politics of rural development in Latin America".

European Consortium for Political Research, Annual Meeting, Bochum, Germany, March 1990. Paper presenter.

Paper: "The limits of '*concertación*' in rural Mexico".

Panel: "Democratization processes in Latin America".

**1989**

15th International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association (LASA), Miami, December 1989. Paper presenter.

Paper: "New peasant movements in Chiapas".

Panel: "Popular movements and political change in Mexico".

Other Formal Workshops and Conferences**2005**

Participant in project "Gobernar (en) la diversidad: experiencias de la construcción de ciudadanías multiculturales en América Latina", organized by FLACSO, CIESAS-Sureste and UT-Austin. Seminar held in Bilwi, Nicaragua (January 2005).

**2004**

Participant in project "Gobernar (en) la diversidad: experiencias de la construcción de ciudadanías multiculturales en América Latina", organized by FLACSO, CIESAS-Sureste and UT-Austin. Two seminars held in Mexico City (March 2004) and Quito (October 2004).

"Nuevas formas de participación política en Marqués de Comillas: desarrollo sustentable, remunicipalización y grupos de mujeres" International Colloquium "Chiapas: Diez Años Después", organized by El Colegio de México, Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social (CIESAS)-Sureste, San Cristóbal de Las Casas, Chiapas, August 23-27, 2004.

**2003**

"Gaining Ground: indigenous peoples and political change in Latin America"

University of Liverpool, Institute of Latin American Studies (UK). February 20-23, 2003.

"Mapping Indigenous Autonomies in Chiapas"

University of Texas at Austin, Center for Mexican Studies, April 2003.

**2001**

“La remunicipalización y el proceso de paz en Chiapas” Co-organizer with Xochitl Leyva Solano and Araceli Burguete, Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social (CIESAS)-Sureste, San Cristóbal de Las Casas, Chiapas, January 4-5, 2001

“The peace process in Chiapas and the new government of Vicente Fox” presented at speaker series, Center for Latin American Studies, New Mexico State University, March 14, 2001

“Globalization and biodiversity conflicts in Chiapas” presented at Ohio State University, April 2001 and at University of Essex, England, June 2001.

## **2000**

“Land struggles and political conflict in Chiapas” presented at conference on the Chiapas rebellion and political change in Mexico, Colby College, Maine. April 15, 2000.

## **1999**

Invited to comment on new book “Rebellion in Chiapas” by Professor John Womack, Harvard University at a symposium with Prof. Womack and faculty of Dartmouth College, New Hampshire, April 15, 1999.

Lecture on “The Zapatistas and the Question of Democracy in Mexico” Dartmouth College, New Hampshire, April 14, 1999.

Participant and co-organizer of international workshop on “Identities, Borders and Orders” at NMSU, February 22-24, 1999.

Presentation on “The New Politics of Zapatismo: community, autonomy and democracy” at the Conference “Chiapas: Five Years of Conflict and Negotiation”, Center for Latin American Studies, Princeton University, February 19, 1999.

Presentation on “The Crisis in Chiapas” at the Conference “Chiapas and Comparative Peace Processes in Latin America”, Autonomous Metropolitan Technological Institute (ITAM) and Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Mexico City, January 11, 1999

## **1998**

Local organizer and participant, international workshop on “Identities, Borders and Orders: Rethinking International, Comparative and Area Studies,” NMSU, March 23-25, 1998.

Joint presentation with Dr. Christine Eber on “Between Hope and Frustration: the Peace Process and the Democracy Movement in Chiapas,” Center for Latin American Studies, NMSU, Spring Speaker Series, February 19, 1998.

## **1997**

Organizer and participant, seminar series on the Ford Foundation grant “Crossing Borders”, New Library, NMSU, Fall 1997.

Presentation of paper: "Illegal Logging and Economic Viability in Marqués de Comillas, Chiapas," at a workshop on "The transformation of rural Mexico: Building an economically viable and participatory campesino sector," Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social (CIESAS)-Occidente, Guadalajara, Mexico, April 16, 1997.

Presentation of paper: "Illegal Logging and Economic Viability in Marqués de Comillas, Chiapas," at Latin American Area Center seminar series, University of Arizona, March 24, 1997.

Presentation of paper: "The peace process in Chiapas: lessons from a comparative perspective," at a conference on "Comparative Peace Processes in Latin America," Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington D.C., March 13-15, 1997.

Paper: "Indigenous peoples and changing state identities: the case of Chiapas," presented at workshop on "Borders, Orders and Identities," Department of Government and Center for Latin American Studies, NMSU, January 17-19, 1997.

### **1996**

Research proposal: "Sustainable development in the Lacandon rainforest of Chiapas: the case of the Marqués de Comillas region," presented at a research workshop on "The Transformation of Rural Mexico," sponsored by the Center for US-Mexican Studies of the University of California-San Diego and the Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social (CIESAS)-Occidente, Guadalajara, Mexico. Held at CIESAS-Occidente, Guadalajara, July 5-6, 1996.

Paper: "Redefining Citizenship in Mexico: indigenous movements and the question of autonomy in Chiapas," presented at a workshop on "Local Politics and Democratization in Mexico and Cuba Compared," sponsored by the Center for US-Mexican Studies of the University of California-San Diego and the Instituto de Investigaciones Sociales, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM). Held at UNAM, Mexico City, February 21-22, 1996.

### **1995**

Paper: "Whose land is it anyway? Technocracy, campesino movements and the meanings of rural development in Chiapas," presented at a conference on "The Transformation of Rural Mexico," sponsored by the "Ejido Reform Project", Center for US-Mexican Studies of the University of California-San Diego (UCSD), held at UCSD, August 1995.

Paper: "The Effects of Ejido Reform in Chiapas," presented at a conference on "The Reform of Mexico's Agrarian Reform," Institute of Latin American Studies, Columbia University, New York, April 5-7, 1995.

Paper: "Background to the Peace Process in Chiapas," presented at a workshop on "Comparative Peace Processes in Latin America," Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington D.C., April 29, 1995.

Paper: "Rural reforms and the Zapatista rebellion," presented at a conference on "The Chiapas Rebellion," University of Arizona, February 3-4, 1995.

Guest speaker at the following universities during 1995: University of New Mexico (February 8-9), University of Texas at Austin (February 27), New Mexico State University (March 15), University of California-San Diego (April 13), University of Texas-El Paso (April 20).

### **1994**

Paper: "Identidad y cambio político en Chiapas," presented at the XVI Colloquium of the Colegio de Michoacán, Zamora, Mexico, 16-18 November 1994.

Paper: "Chiapas and the struggle for radical democracy in Mexico," presented at a conference, "Whither Mexico?," Grinnell College, Iowa, November 10-11, 1994.

Paper: "Prospects for Ejido Reform in Chiapas," presented at a workshop sponsored by the "Ejido Reform Project", Center for US-Mexican Studies of the University of California-San Diego (UCSD), held at Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro, Mexico, October 26-28, 1994.

### **1994**

Paper: "Chiapas and Democratization in Mexico," presented at "Living with NAFTA: a town meeting on North American integration," conference organized by Yale University Council on Latin American Studies, New Haven, April 8-9, 1994.

### **1993**

Paper: "Neocorporatism and Neoliberalism in Mexico," presented at "Mexico: Beyond NAFTA," conference organized by the New England Consortium on Latin American Studies, University of Massachusetts-Amherst, October 1993.

Research report: "Ejido reforms in Chiapas," presented at "The Transformation of Rural Mexico," workshop organized by the "Ejido Reform Project", Center for US-Mexican Studies of the University of California-San Diego (UCSD), held in Tepotzlán, Mexico, November 1993.

### **1992**

Participation in "The Transformation of Rural Mexico," planning workshop organized by the "Ejido Reform Project", Center for US-Mexican Studies (UCSD), September 1992.

### **1989**

Paper: "Peasant strategies and corporatism in Chiapas," presented at "Popular Movements and Political Change in Mexico," conference held at the Center for US-Mexican Studies of the University of California-San Diego (UCSD), February 1989.

### Organization of Conferences

(with Mónica Serrano) "Political Parties and Elections in Mexico," Institute of Latin American Studies, University of London, May 1991.

“Mexico in Transition: elements of continuity and change,” Institute of Latin American Studies, University of London, May 1990.

## **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

### Grants Funded

Principal Investigator.

Title: “Biodiversity, democracy and identity in Mexico”

Duration: July 1, 2001-December 31, 2002

Source: Macarthur Foundation Research and Writing Grant,  
Program on Global Security and Sustainability

Amount: \$75,000

Co-Principal Investigator with Yosef Lapid and Jose Garcia (Department of Government,

NMSU) Title: “Alter et Idem (Transformed Yet Recognizable): Toward an

Identities/Borders/Orders Reconfiguration of International/Comparative/Area Studies”.

Duration: August 1997-December 1998.

Source: Ford Foundation planning grant

Amount: \$50,000

Principal Investigator.

Title: “The politics of ‘post-development’ in rural Mexico: local responses to globalization in Marqués de Comillas, Chiapas.”

Duration: July 1996-August 1999

Source #1: NMSU College of Arts and Sciences Mini-grant

Amount: \$1,200 (1998-9)

Source #2: NMSU Mexico Small Grants Program

Amount: \$1,000 (1998)

Source #3: Center for US-Mexican Studies, UCSD  
 Amount: \$1,100 (1997)  
 Amount: \$2,500 (1996-7)  
Total Amount: \$ 5,800

Co-principal investigator with Ellen Rosell (Department of Government, NMSU).

Title: New Mexico's Colonias

Duration: October 1994-June 1995

Source: NMSU College of Arts and Sciences Mini-grant Amount: \$1,000

Principal Investigator, "Impact of Ejido Reform in Chiapas," Summer Field Work Research Grant, "Ejido Reform" Project, Center for US-Mexican Studies, University of California-San Diego, 1994. Amount: \$2,500

Principal Investigator, "Peasant Movements and Rural Modernization in Chiapas," Research Grant on Rural Studies, Instituto de Investigaciones Sociales, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, 1993-1995.

Amount: \$1,000

Principal Investigator, "State-Peasant Relations and Political Change in Mexico, 1982-1992," Post-doctoral Research Award, Economic and Social Research Council, Great Britain, 1990-1992.

Amount: \$50,000

Post-doctoral Senior Research Fellowship, Institute of Latin American Studies, University of London, 1989-1990.

Principal Investigator, "State-Peasant Relations and New Producer Organizations in Mexico," Summer Field Work Research Grant, Nuffield Foundation, Great Britain, 1990.

Amount: \$1,500

Visiting Research Fellowship, Center for US-Mexican Studies, University of California-San Diego, 1988-1989.

Doctoral Dissertation Grant, Economic and Social Research Council, Great Britain, 1985-1987.

#### Other Grant Activities

Administrator of Title VI grant for National Resource Centers, New Mexico State University Center for Latin American and Border Studies as part of consortium with Latin American and Iberian Institute at University of New Mexico. 2003-2006.

Administrator of Ford Foundation planning grant on "Identities, Borders and Orders," Fall 1997.

Grant evaluator, NMSU Mexico Small Grants Committee, Fall 1997. Evaluation of over thirty grant applications from NMSU faculty.

Grant evaluator, Graduate Grants Committee for the “Ejido Reform Project”, Center for US-Mexican Studies, University of California-San Diego. Spring 1994, 1995 and 1996. Evaluation of over thirty grant applications from graduate students for research in rural Mexico.

#### Awards:

2000-1 Recipient of “Globalization Award” for promoting global awareness at New Mexico State University, awarded by the Center for International Programs, New Mexico State University

1999 Recipient of the award “Reconocimiento Carlos Esteban Brasseur de Bourbourg” from the National Institute of Anthropology and History (INAH) of Mexico. The award was given for my book *The Chiapas Rebellion: the struggle for land and democracy*, which was chosen as the best work on Mexican history and culture to be published outside Mexico in 1998-99.

Joint 1st prize for “Best Doctoral Dissertation on Mexico”, Anglo-Mexican Society of Great Britain, 1990.

Final Diploma in Spanish, Institute of Linguists, Great Britain, 1982.

## **TEACHING**

#### Courses taught at NMSU since 1994

The number in parentheses denotes the number of times I have taught each course between Fall 1994 and Spring 2005.

#### Lower Division

GOVT 110G Introduction to Political Science (9)  
HONS 248G Citizen and the State: Great Political Issues (5)

#### Upper Division

GOVT 301 Special Topics: Political Ecology (2)  
GOVT 367 Inter-American Relations (3)  
GOVT 370 Comparative Politics (5)  
GOVT 371 Latin American Politics (2)  
GOVT 372 Political Development (3)  
GOVT 376G Contemporary World Political Ideologies (5)  
GOVT 379 Mexican Politics (5)  
GOVT 387 Contemporary Political Theory (2)  
GOVT 470 Special Topics/Comparative Politics: Social Movements and Identity Politics (1)

GOVT 475 Ethnicity and Minority Rights (2)

Graduate

GOVT 570 Seminar in Comparative Politics (7)  
 GOVT 571 Seminar in Latin American Politics (1)  
 GOVT 572 Seminar in Political Development (3)  
 GOVT 574 Comparative Political Studies: Political Ecology (1)  
 GOVT 579 Seminar in Mexican Politics (4)  
 GOVT 580 The Study of Political Theory (2)  
 GOVT 581 Contemporary Political Theory (1)

Graduate supervision

Member of twenty MA committees of which fifteen involved a master's thesis  
 Chair of eight MA thesis committees  
 Supervised three graduate internships  
 Supervised eleven graduate independent studies.

Undergraduate supervision

Supervised one honors' thesis  
 Supervised nine undergraduate internships  
 Supervised ten undergraduate independent studies

Teaching experience prior to NMSU:

Lower-division:

Introduction to Social Theory (University of Portsmouth, Great Britain, Spring 1990)

Upper-division:

Mexican Government and Politics (Brown University, Spring 1993 and Fall 1993; University of Connecticut, Fall 1993)  
 New Social Movements in Latin America (Brown University, Spring 1993 and Spring 1994)  
 Rural Social Movements in Mexico (University of Connecticut, Fall 1992)

Graduate Seminars:

Ethnographic Research Methods (Universidad Autónoma de Yucatán, Fall 1986) (In Spanish)  
 New Social Movements in Latin America (University of Connecticut, Fall 1992 and Fall 1993)

**SERVICE**

Committee Service for Department of Government and NMSU

Director, Center for Latin American and Border Studies, Fall 2003-present  
 Chair, MA Committee, Fall 2002-Fall 2004  
 Chair, Undergraduate Committee, Department of Government, Spring 1996 - Spring 2001  
 Library Liaison for Department of Government, Fall 1994-Summer 1999  
 Department Recruitment Coordinator, Fall 1999 - Spring 2001  
 Member, Planning Committee, Department of Government, Spring 1996 - Spring 2001  
 Member, MA Committee, Department of Government, since Spring 1995  
 Interim Chair, MA Committee, Department of Government, Fall 1998  
 Member, Faculty search committees in Spring 1996, Spring 1998, Spring 1999, Spring 2001  
 Participant in production of student recruitment video, Fall 1997  
 Translation assistance for Greg Butler (Department of Government, NMSU) for book  
*Strengthening Volunteer Initiatives*, translated into Spanish for use in Honduras, 1994-95.

Elected to Faculty Senate for 1999-2001 period  
 Member of University Affairs Committee of the Faculty Senate, 1999-2001  
 Chair of Research Affairs Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, 1999-2000  
 Member of Research Affairs Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, 2000-2001  
 Member, Center for Latin American Studies Executive Committee, 1998-99  
 Member, Center for Latin American Studies Speaker Series committee, 1997-98  
 Member, NMSU Mexico Small Grants Committee, Fall 1997  
 Member, NMSU Latin America Focus Group, Fall 1996  
 Member, NMSU Mexico Focus Group, Fall 1996

Writer of program notes for F.W. de Klerk speech, University Speakers Series, March 31, 1998  
 Organizer of several guest lectures on political issues in Latin America  
 Organizer of five symposia with students from NMSU and the Universidad Autónoma de Ciudad Juárez (UACJ).  
 Organizer of institutional agreement for research collaboration with Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social (CIESAS), Mexico.  
 Faculty adviser to Student Association for Latin American Studies (SALAS) since Fall 1995  
 Regular Speaker at campus events on Chiapas  
 Spanish/English interpreter at various campus workshops

#### Professional Service

#### Professional affiliations:

American Political Science Association  
 International Studies Association  
 Latin American Studies Association  
 Rocky Mountain Council on Latin American Studies  
 Western Social Science Association

#### Review of articles submitted for publication:

Bulletin of Latin American Research. 1 article.  
 Comparative Politics. 2 articles.  
 Journal of Interamerican and World Affairs. 3 articles.  
 Journal of Latin American Anthropology. 2 articles.  
 Journal of Latin American Studies. 5 articles.  
 Latin American Research Review. 5 articles.  
 South Eastern Political Review. 1 article.

#### Other review work:

Review of one grant application to the National Science Foundation  
 Review of seven chapters of a book manuscript entitled *Introduction to Politics* for Brown and Benchmark Publishers.  
 Review of *Power and Choice: an Introduction to Political Science* by W. Phillips Shively for new edition by Prentice Hall Publishers.  
 Review of draft chapters of book manuscript entitled *Free Trade and the Farm Crisis in Mexico* by Tom Barry.  
 Editorial assistance for entry on Mexico in *World Directory of Minorities* by Minority Rights Group, London.

#### Community Service

Guest columnist for Las Cruces Sun-News and El Paso Times.  
 Guest columnist for La Jornada newspaper (Mexico City)  
 Commentator on politics in Chiapas and on 1997 British elections, KRWG-TV and KRWG-FM, France Presse Internationale, Reuters, BBC.  
 Organizer with students and faculty of over ten fundraisers and educational events on Chiapas in the Las Cruces community.  
 Talk on Guatemalan political history to students from Mayfield High School, Las Cruces, as part of the school's World Affairs Challenge project, March 1997.  
 Guest lecture to Model UN students, Spring 2003  
 Judge of presentations at Graduate Research Symposium, 1999, 2003.