

Nancy A. Aguirre

Department of History, The Citadel, 171 Moultrie Street, Charleston, SC 29409
Office phone: (843) 953-9514 Email: naguirre@citadel.edu

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

2019- The Citadel, Associate Professor of Latin American History

EDUCATION

2012 Ph.D. Borderlands History, University of Texas at El Paso
Dissertation: "Porfirismo during the Mexican Revolution: Exile and the Politics of Representation, 1910-1920"

2007 M.A. Latin American Studies, University of Chicago

2005 B.A. History, *Summa Cum Laude*, University of Texas of the Permian Basin

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

"A Public Defense of Faith: Catholic Nationalism in Media during the Mexican Revolution." In *The Right and the Radical Right in the Americas*, Tamir Bar-On and Bàrbara Molas, eds. Lexington Books, 2021.

"A Place in Exile." Co-authored with Elise Urrutia Barenblat. In *300 Years of San Antonio & Bexar County*, Claudia Guerra, ed. Trinity University Press, 2018.

"Exile and Repatriation in the Barrios: The Great Depression in *La Prensa* and *La Opinión*, 1930-1932," *Camino Real*, Vol. 7, no. 10 (2015): 95-110.

"Porfirista Femininity in Exile: Women's Contributions to *La Prensa*, 1913-1929." In *Women of the Right: Comparisons and Interplay across Borders*, Kathleen Blee and Sandra McGee Deutsch, eds. Penn State University Press, 2012.

"Entertainment-Education and CO Poisonings in Ciudad Juárez: A Case Study of *El Asesino Invisible*," co-authored with Frank G. Pérez, Verónica Corella-Barud, Gilberto Velázquez-Angulo, Patrick Gurian, Salvador Sáenz, and Susana I. Flores; *Journal of Borderlands Studies*, Vol. 24, no. 1 (Spring 2009): 91-99.

BOOK MANUSCRIPT

The Burning of the Old World: Exile and Right-wing Nationalism during the Mexican Revolution. (In progress)

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Review of *A Revolution Unfinished: The Chegomista Rebellion and the Limits of Revolutionary Democracy in Juchitán, Oaxaca* by Colby Ristow. *Journal of Military History*, Vol. 83, no. 2 (July 2019): 918-919.

“Preparing for the Real World: Experiences and Lessons from New Historians,” co-authored with Cristóbal Borges, John Paul Nuño, and Jamie Starling; *Perspectives on History: The Newsmagazine of the American Historical Association*, Vol. 56, no. 5 (May 2018): 21-23.

“A Stranger in Charleston: Intersectional Anxiety as a Latina in Academia,” *Journal of Working-Class Studies*, Vol. 2, no. 2 (Dec. 2017): 88-99.

Review of *War along the Border: The Mexican Revolution and Tejano Communities*, ed. Arnoldo De León. *The Western Historical Quarterly*, Vol. 43, no. 4 (Winter 2012): 509-510.

Review of *The Last Caudillo: Alvaro Obregón and the Mexican Revolution* by Jürgen Buchenau. *The Historian*, Vol. 74, no. 4 (Winter 2012): 822-823.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“The Southeastern Immigration Studies Association and Building Collaborative Spaces,” American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education Conference, March 2022

Discussant, “Student Project Presentations: Migration Policy Solutions,” Southeastern Immigration Studies Association Conference, February 2020

“Mexican History in Exile Memoirs,” XV Reunión Internacional de Historiadores de México, Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico, October 2018

“Addressing Intersectional Anxiety through Personal Narratives,” Southeastern Women’s Studies Association Conference, Clemson, South Carolina, March 2018

“Callista Surveillance of the Mexican Exile Press in the Borderlands, 1924-1928,” UTEP Borderlands History Conference, El Paso, Texas, February 2018

Roundtable, “Preparing Historians: An Interconnected Approach to Promoting History for Every Career,” Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 2017

Workshop: “Conservatism in the Americas,” Latin American Studies Association Conference, New York, New York, May 2016

“La Frontera en el Lowcountry: Latinos en Carolina del Sur,” XV Congreso Internacional sobre Integración Regional, Fronteras y Globalización en el Continente Americano/IV Congreso Internacional de Ciudades Fronterizas, Ciudad Juárez, Chihuahua, October 2015

“*El Incendio del Viejo Mundo: La Reacción Porfirista ante la Revolución Mexicana y la Primera Guerra Mundial*,” XIV Reunión Internacional de Historiadores de México, Chicago, Illinois, September 2014

“The Porfirista Press and the Mexican Revolution: Identity and the Politics of Representation, 1910-1920,” Texas State Historical Association Conference, San Antonio, Texas, March 2014

“*Revista Mexicana* and the Mexican Counter-revolution in the Borderlands,” Recovering the U.S. Hispanic Literary Heritage Conference, Houston, Texas, October 2012

“Porfirista Femininity in Exile: Women’s Contributions to *La Prensa*, 1913–1920,” Revealing the Mexican Revolution in San Antonio: A Symposium, San Antonio, Texas, November 2010

“Conservatives in Exile: *La Prensa* as the ‘Voice’ for Exiles, 1913–1920,” XIII Reunión de Historiadores de México, Estados Unidos y Canadá, Santiago de Querétaro, Querétaro, October 2010

“Historical Memory and Transnationalism: The Case of Porfiristas in Mexico and the United States,” Humanities Education and Research Association Conference, El Paso, Texas, March 2010

“Deconstructing Zapata and Villa”: The Revolutionary Identity across the U.S./Mexico Border,” Phi Alpha Theta Conference, Las Cruces, New Mexico, March 2009

“Rise of the Ricos: *La Prensa* as the ‘Voice’ for Exiles, 1913–1920,” Recovering the U.S. Hispanic Literary Heritage Conference, Houston, Texas, November 2008

“Rise of the Ricos: *La Prensa* as the ‘Voice’ for Exiles, 1913–1920,” Phi Alpha Theta Conference, El Paso, Texas, February 2008

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

“Latino History in the Lowcountry,” Guest Speaker, WTAT Fox News 24, Charleston, May 4, 2022.

“History of the U.S./Mexico Borderlands,” Invited Lecture for Dr. Larry Sullivan’s Course “World Geography,” The Citadel, November 12, 2019

“Right-wing Mexican Exiles in Texas during the Mexican Revolution,” McAllen Public Library, McAllen, TX, October 3, 2019

Co-facilitator, Community Discussion on “Aquí Estamos: Documenting the Latino Heritage of the South Carolina Low Country,” Dorchester Road Regional Library, North Charleston, SC, October 18, 2017; John’s Island Regional Library, John’s Island, SC, October 25, 2017

Guest Speaker, Hispanic Heritage Month Luncheon, Charleston Southern University, October 13, 2017

“Colonialism in the Americas,” Invited Lecture at Spring Hill High School, Chapin, SC, September 6, 2017

Guest Speaker, Observance of National Hispanic Heritage Month, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Charleston District, October 6, 2016

“NAFTA y la Frontera entre México y EUA,” Invited Lecture for Dr. Sara Fernández-Medina’s course “Business Spanish,” The Citadel, March 4, 2016

Discussant, Screening of *Latino Americans: War and Peace*, The Citadel, February 2016

Discussant, Screening of *Latino Americans: Foreigners in Their Own Land*, The Citadel, October 2015

Guest Speaker, Hispanic Heritage Luncheon, The Citadel, September 2015

“The Mexican Revolution,” Invited Lecture for Dr. Brian Norris’s course “Mexico Maymester,” Mexico City, May 19, 2015

“The Spanish-Language Press in the United States: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives,” Sponsored by Sigma Delta Pi Hispanic Honor Society, The Citadel, April 2014

Presenter, Roundtable on Graduate Student Publishing, UTEP Department of History, April 2012

Guest Speaker, UTEP Scholars Luncheon, El Paso, Texas, February 2012

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

President, Southeastern Immigration Studies Association, 2020-2023

Co-founder, Southeastern Immigration Studies Association, 2019

Member, State Standards Writing Committee for the South Carolina College- and Career-Ready Standards for Social Studies, 2017-2019

Staff Member, “Aquí Estamos: Documenting the Latino Heritage of the South Carolina Low Country,” an initiative funded by the “Common Heritage Grant” from the National Endowment for the Humanities, 2017

- The Citadel’s Oral History Program collected and digitized primary source materials to create the first digital archive on the Latino community in the South Carolina Low Country. Staff member responsibilities include promoting the project, collecting and digitizing materials, and presenting the archive at community events.

Jessie Ball duPont Seminar on Immigration and Citizenship in the United States, National Humanities Center, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina, June 2016

Project Director, *Latino Americans: 500 Years of History*, National Endowment for the Humanities Initiative, July 2015-June 2016

- This project draws attention to the history and culture of Latinos/as in the Lowcountry. Responsibilities include acting as a community liaison, designing publicity materials, and co-organizing the Latin Dance Festival, library and art exhibits, theater performances, public lectures, and screenings of the PBS documentary *Latino Americans*.

Co-organizer of the teach-in panel “Violence on the Border: Who’s *Really* Responsible?” University of Texas at El Paso, February 2009

- Activists and scholars from El Paso and Ciudad Juárez discussed the local impact of Mexico’s war on drugs. The panel was open to the public. Responsibilities included promoting the event within El Paso city government, the Catholic Diocese of El Paso, and La Mujer Obrera, a workers’ rights organization for Mexican migrant women.

Staff Writer and Assistant to Editorial Director, *Nuestra Cultura Magazine*, Odessa, Texas,
May 2004–May 2005

- Worked in public relations, contacted clients, promoted magazine at community events, worked as a staff writer, interviewed prominent community leaders.

AWARDS

2020	Faculty Excellence in Service Award, The Citadel
2019	Bulldog Inclusive Excellence Honor Roll, Presented by The Citadel’s Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Council
2013	Nominated- National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies (NACCS) Tejas Dissertation Award
2013	Outstanding Dissertation Award, University of Texas at El Paso
2008	Second Best Graduate Paper, Phi Alpha Theta Conference, University of Texas at El Paso
2005	Outstanding History Student, University of Texas of the Permian Basin

GRANTS

Major Grants

2016	Common Heritage Grant, National Endowment for the Humanities, \$11,900
2015	“Latino Americans: 500 Years of History” Programming Grant, National Endowment for the Humanities, \$10,000
2011	Woman’s Auxiliary Fellowship, University of Texas at El Paso, \$10,000

Other Grants

2022	Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$3,000
2022	Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$1,000
2021	Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$3,000
2021	Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$1,000
2020	Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$1,800

2020 Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$2,199
2019 Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$2,195
2019 Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$1,804
2018 Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$1,170
2018 Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$1,990
2017 Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$2,076
2017 Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$1,384
2016 Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$1,246
2016 Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$1,754
2015 Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$2,057
2015 Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$771
2014 Citadel Foundation Faculty Research Grant, \$3,000
2014 Citadel Foundation Faculty Presentation of Research Grant, \$1,100
2013 Citadel Foundation New Faculty Research Grant, \$3,000
2012 Frances G. Harper History Dissertation Research Award, University of Texas at El Paso, \$2,500
2011 Phi Alpha Theta Doctoral Scholarship, \$1,000
2011 Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant, University of Texas at El Paso, \$2,500
2011 Cotton Graduate Scholarship, University of Texas at El Paso, \$2,000

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2019- The Citadel, Charleston, South Carolina
Associate Professor, Department of History

2013-2019 The Citadel, Charleston, South Carolina
Assistant Professor, Department of History

2013 New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico
Instructor, Department of History

2007-2013 University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, Texas
Instructor, Department of History
Assistant Instructor, Department of History

2008-2009, University of Texas of the Permian Basin, Odessa, Texas
2011 Instructor, Department of History

2007 Odessa College, Odessa, Texas
Tutor, Student Learning Center

2003-2004 University of Texas of the Permian Basin, Odessa, Texas
Mentor, Position Funded by Hispanic Serving Institute Grant

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

2016- 2020 Facilities and Services Committee
2014-2016 Campus Affairs Committee

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT

2020-2021, 2022-2023	Military History Online M.A. Program Committee
2018-2021	Advisor, Phi Alpha Theta
2018-2021	Organizer, Annual History Department Banquet
2018- 2020	Member, Advising Committee
2018-2019	Member, African-American History Search Committee
2018-2019	Member, Henry A. and Jenny Johnson Fund Committee
2016- 2018	Joint History M.A. Program Committee
2016- 2017	Member, African-American History Search Committee
2015- 2016	Member, Mark Clark Chair Search Committee
2013- 2017	Co-advisor, The Citadel's History Club

MASTER'S THESIS COMMITTEES

Director: Christian M. Mérida, "The Last Colegio of Aztlán: Chicanecentric Education in North Denver, 1968-2007," Spring 2023 (pending)

Sharon DuPree, "Foreign Policy, Operation Condor, and The Politics of Humanity: An Analysis of Uruguay and Paraguay's Position in U.S. Foreign Policy in the Condor Years, 1973-1980," Fall 2015

Member: Emily May, "Imperialism Takes Flight: Marine Corps Aviation at the junction of masculinity and civilization in the Sandino Rebellion, 1928-1934," Spring 2023 (pending)

Gregory Dixon, "Terrorist Versus Insurgents: How Proscription will Disrupt Civil Liberties. A Case Study of Insurgency in Afghanistan," Spring 2018

Caroline Parsons, "Fighting the Good Fight: Ronald Reagan's Moral and Religious Rhetoric and Soviet Policy, 1981-1989," Spring 2015

GRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT

The Citadel Gender in Modern Latin America
 Historiography
 History of Mexico
 History of the Non-Western World
 Military Coups and Dictatorships in Latin America

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT

The Citadel Capstone Seminar: U.S./Mexico Borderlands
 Colonial Latin America
 Freshman Seminar: Border Crossings, Exploring Narco Culture
 History of the Non-Western World
 History of the U.S./Mexico Borderlands

History of U.S. Immigration
Military Coups and Dictatorships in Latin America
Survey of American History II
World Civilization I
World Civilization II

New Mexico State University
History of Latinos in the United States
University of Texas at El Paso
United States History, 1865–Present (Honors)
United States History, 1865–Present

University of Texas of the Permian Basin
Modern Mexico
U.S. to 1877
History of the U.S. Since 1877

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

President- Southeastern Immigration Studies Association
Member—Sigma Delta Pi, the Hispanic National Honor Society

LANGUAGES

English—Native Fluency
Spanish—Native Fluency