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### Areas of Specialization

Phenomenology, Existentialism, Hispanic Philosophy, Social and Political Philosophy

### Areas of Competence

Applied Ethics (Business and Bio/Medical Ethics), German Idealism, Pragmatism

### Education

PhD., Philosophy, University of New Mexico, 2006.

B.S. Journalism and Mass Comm., San Jose State University, 1998.

### Academic Posts

Associate Professor, 2010—Present

San Jose State University

Assistant Professor, 2006-2010

San Jose State University

Teaching Assistant, 2001-2006

University of New Mexico

(full course responsibility)

Adjunct Instructor, 2002-2006

Central New Mexico Community College

Lecturer, 1998-2001

The National Hispanic University, San Jose, CA

### Papers Published & Forthcoming

—forthcoming—

“Against Values: On Scheler and Portilla,” *Newsletter for Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy*, fall 2010.

“Mexican Existentialism, Stanley Cavell, and the Seduction of ‘American’ Philosophy,” included in *Pragmatism and the Hispanic World*, edited by Gregorio Fernando Pappas, Fordham University Press. In Press.

“Mexican Existentialism and its Relevance to Chicano Identity Politics,” *The Philosophy of John Haddox*. Lewiston: The Edwin Mellen Press. In Press.

—published—

- “Epistemic Justification and Husserl’s ‘Phenomenology of Reason’ in *Ideas I*,”  
*Epistemology, Archaeology, Ethics: Current Investigations of Husserl’s Corpus*,  
edited by Sebastian Luft and Pol Vandavelde. Continuum Press, 2010. Pp. 7-20.
- “Generosity: Variations on a Theme from Aristotle to Levinas,” *The Heythrop Journal: A Review of Philosophy and Theology*, Vol. 51, No. 3 (May 2010): 442-453.
- “Heidegger in Mexico: Emilio Uranga’s Ontological Hermeneutics,” *Continental Philosophy Review*, Vol. 40, No. 4 (2008): 441-460.
- “The Philosophical Demands of a Mexican Philosophy of History,” *Dissidences: Hispanic Journal of Theory and Criticism*, volume 5 (2008): online at: <http://www.dissidences.org/>
- “Cultural (In)Competence, Justice, and Expectations of Care,” *Online Journal of Health Ethics*, Vol. 1, No. 1 (2008). Online: <http://ethicsjournal.umc.edu>
- “The Nature of Belief and the Method of Its Justification in Husserl’s Philosophy,”  
*Indo-Pacific Journal of Phenomenology* Vol. 7, no. 2 (2007 [published Spring 2008]): 1-10.  
Online at [www.ipjp.org](http://www.ipjp.org)
- “Husserl’s Way to Authentic Being,” *Human Studies*, Vol. 30, No. 4 (2007): 377-393.
- “From Ortega y Gasset to Mexican Existentialism: Toward a Philosophic Conception of Chicano Identity,” *Southwest Philosophical Studies*, Vol. 25 (2007 [2003]): 49-61
- “Jorge Portilla’s Phenomenology: Relajo, Gelassenheit, and Liberation,”  
*APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy*, Vol. 6, No. 2 (Spring 2007): 1-7.  
★ Awarded 2006 American Philosophical Association Prize in Latin American Thought

—under review—

- “Philosophy and the Post-Immigrant Fear,” submitted to *Philosophy and the Contemporary World*.
- “Death and the Colonial Difference,” submitted to *Janus Head*.
- “Ideological Self-Reliance or Orthopraxis: *el grupo Hiperión* and Mexican Philosophy,” included in *Untimely Chronicles: Latin American Thinkers on Contemporary Continental European Philosophy*, edited by Alejandro Vallega and Omar Rivera and under review at Indiana University Press.

## Cited in:

Gustavo Arrellano, *Ask a Mexican!* New York: Scribner, 2007. P. 246

## Editorial Work

Reader, *Mexican Studies/Estudios Mexicanos*, *Comparative Philosophy*

Editor, with Jules Simon (UTEP), *The Philosophy of John Haddox*. Lewiston: The Edwin Mellen Press, forthcoming.

## Fellowships, Grants & Awards

Weir/Galm Endowment Award, Spring 2009.

Junior Faculty Development Grant, Course Release Time, Spring 2009.

University Planning Council, Course Release Time, Spring 2009.

SJSU's Junior Faculty Development Grant, Fall 2008.

California State University's Summer Research Fellowship, 2008.

University Planning Council, Course Release Time, Spring 2008.

College of Humanities and the Arts, Course Release Time, Fall 2007.

California State University's Summer Research Fellowship, 2007.

San Jose State University's Lottery Grant, 2006-2007.

American Philosophical Association Prize in Latin American Thought, 2006.

Gwen Barrett Dissertation Fellowship, University of New Mexico, Fall 2005.

Student Research Allocations Committee Grant, University of New Mexico, Fall 2005.

Ronald E. McNair Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, 1996-1997.

Gary T. Williams Memorial Scholarship, School of Journalism and Mass Communications, San Jose State University, Spring 1996.

## University Service

Member, College Curriculum Committee, Fall 2009-Present

Search Committee, Education Opportunity Program Director Search, Fall-Spring 2009.

Scholarship Committee, Ernesto Galarza Scholarship, Spring 2009.

Faculty Advisor, *Thought in Action*, Student Group—Fall 2008—Present

Team Member, Presidential Inclusive Excellence/Diversity Plan Design Team (University Committee)—Fall 2008—Present

Executive Committee, SJSU Center for Comparative Philosophy, Fall 2007—Present.

Participant, President's Fall Reading Group, Fall 2007.

Steering Committee, SJSU's Leadership Today, Fall 2007—Present.

Chair, General Education Advisory Panel (GEAP), Humanities & Arts, 2006-Present.

Leadership Facilitator, "Leadership Today: Creating Community in a Diverse World," Asilomar, CA., January 8-12, 2007.

Faculty Representative, "American Association for Hispanics in Higher Education," Costa Mesa, CA. March 9, 2007.

Graduate Program Coordinator, Department of Philosophy, Fall 2006-Present.

## Service to the Profession

American Philosophical Association's Committee on Hispanics, term 2009—2012.

## Community Service

Board of Directors, Centers for Employment Training (CET), Spring 2008-Present  
([www.cetweb.org](http://www.cetweb.org))

## Selected Presentations

— 2010—

"Huaraches on Aristotle," presented at the *First Annual International Conference on Pragmatism and the Hispanic World*, Texas A & M University, February 2010. [Invited]

"Values and their Fragility," presented at symposium on Existential Phenomenology in Latin America, at the *Pacific Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association*, San Francisco, CA. March 2010. [Invited]

"Heidegger's Weak Eurocentrism," presented at *SJSU Philosophy Conference*, San Jose, CA., May 1, 2010. [Invited]

"Philosophy and the Post-Immigrant Fear," presented at the *Society for Philosophy in the Contemporary World*, Corvallis, OR., July 18, 2010. [Reviewed]

"Attending to the *Grundfrage*: On Husserl's *Idea of Phenomenology*," accepted for presentation at the meeting of the *Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy*, Quebec, Canada, Nov. 2010. [Reviewed]

“Pragmatism and Mexican Phenomenology,” invited paper for symposium on Pragmatism in Latin America at the *Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association*, Dec 27, 2010. [Invited]

— 2009—

“Death and the Colonial Difference,” paper presented at University of San Diego, February 23, 2009. San Diego, Ca. [Invited]

— 2008—

“Epistemic Justification and the ‘Phenomenology of Reason’ in Husserl’s Ideas I,” presented at the 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Husserl Circle, Marquette University, June 26-29, 2008. [Refereed]

“The Catholic Intervention: Latin American Liberation Theology, a Reassessment,” presented at the SJSU Department of Philosophy Alumni Conference, May 3, 2008. [Invited; with Tanzeen Doha]

“Evil and (Social) Justice,” paper for the Social Justice Conference at Cabrillo College, April 19, 2008. [Invited; did not present]

“On Presence in Husserl and Derrida,” response paper for the *Pacific Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association*, Pasadena, CA., March 22, 2008. [Invited; did not present]

“Stanley Cavell, Leopoldo Zea, and the Seduction of an ‘American’ Philosophy,” presented at the Annual Meeting of the *Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy*, Michigan State University, March 14, 2008. [Refereed]  
Program and Paper: <http://www.philosophy.uncc.edu/mleldrid/SAAP/MSU/08pro.html>

“Death Drive: The Ins and Outs of Jorge Portilla, Philosopher,” accepted for presentation at the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the *Society for the Interdisciplinary Study of Social Imagery*, “The Image of the Outsider,” Colorado State University-Pueblo, March 13, 2008. [Refereed]

“Communication as an Act of Faith and Liberation,” Keynote Address for Student Affairs Advisory Council and Diversity Committee Professional Development Day, San Jose State University, February 22, 2008. [Invited]

“The Mexican Philosophical Enlightenment,” presented at The University of Texas, Pan American, February 4, 2008. [Invited]

—2007—

“Interruptions,” Keynote Address at the *California Forum for Diversity in Graduate Education*, University of California, Davis, November 3, 2007. [Invited]

“Generosity: Variations on a Theme,” *Society for Phenomenology and the Human Sciences*, Chicago, Ill., November 10, 2007. [Refereed]

“Going Between the Horns of the Anti-Foundationalist Dilemma: Belief Justification in Husserl and Bonjou,” *Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy*, Chicago, Il., November 9, 2007. [Refereed]

“The Philosophical Demands of Mexican Identity,” paper presented at The National Hispanic University, Oct. 23, 2007. [Invited]

“Cultural (In)Competence, Justice, and Expectations of Care,” *Center for Practical and Professional Ethics, Fall Ethics Symposium*, Consumnes River College/CSUS, Oct. 9, 2007. [Invited]

“Responsible Humanity: Creating Agents n the Phenomenological Ontology of Mexico’s Hiperion Group (1948-1952),” accepted fro presentation at the *Society for Philosophy in the Contemporary World’s 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting*, Universidad Latina de America, Morelia, Michoacan, Mexico, July 19-24, 2007. [Refereed; did not present]

“Generosity: Variations on a Theme,” *San Jose State University’s Department of Philosophy’s Annual Alumni Conference*, “Comparative Philosophy,” May 5, 2007. [Invited]

“Insufficiency and Overcoming: Emilio Uranga’s Hermeneutic of Mexican Dasein,” *Conference in Honor of John Haddox: 50 Years of Philosophy at UTEP*, University of Texas, El Paso. March 2, 2007. [Refereed]

—2006—

“Jorge Portilla’s Phenomenology: Relajo, Gelassenheit, and Liberation,” Easter Division Meeting of the *American Philosophical Association*, Washington D.C. Dec. 28, 2006. [Refereed]

“Creating Immigrants: Response To James Sobredo,” *Center for Practical and Professional Ethics, Fall Ethics Symposium: The Ethics of Immigration*, Sacramento State University, Oct. 23, 2006. [www.csus.edu/cppe/symposium\\_fall\\_2006\\_program.html](http://www.csus.edu/cppe/symposium_fall_2006_program.html) [Invited]

“Protodoxa and World: Response to Gretchen Gusich,” *Northwest Philosophy Conference*, Portland, Oregon, Nov. 4, 2006. [Invited]

“Exemplary Attitudes: Jose Ortega y Gasset as Philosopher of Relevance,” *Northwest Philosophy Conference*, Portland, Oregon, Nov. 4, 2006. [Refereed]

## National Recognition Awards & Student Awards

Achievement Award, *US Department of Education's Council for Opportunity in Education (COE)*, New York, NY. Sept., 2006.

TRIO Achievers Award, *Western Association of Educational Professionals (WESTOP)*, Las Vegas, NV. April, 2006.

## Professional Affiliations

The Latin American Phenomenology Circle (CLAFEN)  
American Philosophical Association (APA)  
Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy (SPEP)  
Society for Phenomenology and the Human Sciences (SPHS)  
Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy (SAAP)  
Society for Philosophy in the Contemporary World (SPCW)  
New Mexico-West Texas Philosophical Society (NMWT)  
The International Husserl Circle