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Areas of Specialization: Latin American & U.S. Latinx Philosophy  
Feminist Philosophy, Critical Philosophy of Race  
Areas of Competence: Social Epistemology, Critical Prison Studies, Bioethics,  
Transgender Studies, Decolonial Studies

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**EDUCATION**

PhD Philosophy, Vanderbilt University, 2015  
Grad Certificate Latin American & Caribbean Studies, Univ. of South Florida, 2010  
MA Philosophy, University of South Florida, 2009  
BA Philosophy, University of North Florida, 2006

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**ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

2021 - Pres. Associate Professor of Philosophy, University of North Carolina, Charlotte  
*Affiliate Faculty Member of Africana Studies, Center for Holocaust, Genocide,  
and Human Rights Studies, Latin American Studies, School of Data Science,  
Social Aspects of Health Initiative, and Women's & Gender Studies*  
Fall 2021 Churchill Humphrey and Alex P. Humphrey Associate Professor of Feminist  
Philosophy, University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada  
2015-2021 Assistant Professor of Philosophy, University of North Carolina, Charlotte

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**PUBLICATIONS**

**MONOGRAPH**

2021 *Nos/Otras: Gloria E. Anzaldúa, Multiplicitous Agency, and Resistance*. Albany: SUNY Press.

**EDITED BOOKS**

2020 *Theories of the Flesh: Latinx and Latin American Feminisms, Transformation, and Resistance*, coedited with Mariana Ortega and José Medina. New York: Oxford University Press.

Reviewed by Michael Monahan, *APA Newsletter on Feminism and Philosophy* 20, no. 2 (2020): 27-30.

2019 *Beyond Bergson: Examining Race and Colonialism through the Writings of Henri Bergson*, coedited with Mark W. Westmoreland. Albany: SUNY Press.

Reviewed by John W. August III, *Eidos: A Journal for Philosophy of Culture* 4, no. 3 (2020): 136-144.

## REFEREED ARTICLES

- 2022 “An ‘Extension of the Occupier’s Hold’: Frantz Fanon on Psychiatry, Carcerality, and Etiology,” *Chiasmi International* 24: 1-23 (in press).
- 2022 “Dismantling Structural Racism in the Academic Residency Clinic,” coauthored with Rahul Vanjani and Pranav Aurora, *New England Journal of Medicine* 386 (21): 2054-2058.
- 2021 “The Polymorphism of Necro-Being: Examining Racism and Ableism through the Writings of Leonard Harris,” *The Journal of Philosophy of Disability* 1 (1): 1-27.
- 2021 “Challenging the Carceral Imaginary in a Digital Age: Epistemic Asymmetries and the Right to Be Forgotten,” *Las Torres de Lucca: International Journal of Political Philosophy* 19: 1-18.
- 2021 “Shifting the Geography of Revolution: Mestizo Nationalism, Pan-Arab Independence, and Feminist Philosophy through the Writings of Vera Yamuni Tabush,” *APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy* 20 (2): 9-14.
- 2021 “‘That Close and Contagious Death’: Symptomatology, Sociogeny, and Structural Oppression,” *Theory & Event* 24 (2): 618-624.
- 2019 “‘The Atlas of Our Skin and Bone and Blood’: Disability, Ablenationalism, and the War on Drugs,” *Genealogy* 3 (4): 1-16.
- 2018 “Examining Carceral Medicine through Critical Phenomenology,” *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics* 11 (2): 14-35.
- 2016 “Gloria E. Anzaldúa’s *Autohistoria-teoría* as an Epistemology of Self-Knowledge/Ignorance,” *Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy* 31 (2): 352-369.
- 2016 “In the Flesh and Word: Latina Feminist Philosophers’ Collective Labor,” coauthored with Natalie Cisneros, Cynthia M. Paccacerqua, Stephanie Rivera Berruz, and Elena Ruíz. *Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy* 31 (2): 437-446.
- 2015 “White Supremacy, Mass Incarceration, and Clinical Medicine: A Critical Analysis of U.S. Correctional Healthcare,” *Radical Philosophy Review* 18 (2): 267-285.
- 2014 “Toward an Aesthetics of Race: Bridging the Writings of Gloria Anzaldúa and José Vasconcelos,” *Inter-American Journal of Philosophy* 5 (1): 80-100.

## BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2022 “Resistance and Multiplicity: Insurrectionist Ethics and Afro-Indigenous Networks of Solidarity,” *The Insurrectionist Ethics: Radical Perspectives on Social Justice*, edited by Jacoby Adeshei Carter and Darryl Scriven. London: Palgrave Macmillan (in press)
- 2022 “Philosophical Collaborations with Activists,” *Blackwell Companion to Public Philosophy*, edited by Lee McIntyre, Nancy McHugh, and Ian Olasov, 347-358. Hoboken: Wiley-Blackwell.
- 2022 “Gloria E. Anzaldúa and Crip Futurity in the Americas,” *Disability and American Philosophies*, edited by Daniel Brunson and Nate Jackson, 138-158. New York: Routledge.
- 2022 “Disability Bioethics and Race,” *The Disability Bioethics Reader*, edited by Joel Michael Reynolds and Christine Wieseler, 235-242. New York: Routledge.
- 2021 “A Nonideal Approach to Truthfulness in Carceral Medicine.” In *Applying Nonideal Theory to Bioethics: Living and Dying in a Nonideal World*, edited by Elizabeth K. Victor and Laura Guidry-Grimes, 309-322. New York: Springer.
- 2021 “Latina Feminist Engagements with U.S. Pragmatism: Interrogating Identity, Realism, and Representation.” In *Decolonizing American Philosophy*, edited by Corey McCall and

- Phillip McReynolds, 131-153. Albany: SUNY Press.
- 2021 “Latina/x Feminist Philosophy.” In *Oxford Handbook of Feminist Philosophy*, edited by Ásta and Kim Q. Hall, 120-135. New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2020 “World-Traveling.” In *50 Concepts for a Critical Phenomenology*, edited by Gail Weiss, Ann V. Murphy, and Gayle Salamon, 343-350. Chicago: Northwestern University Press.
- 2019 “Latinx Identity.” In *Latin American and Latinx Philosophy: A Collaborative Introduction*, edited by Robert Eli Sanchez, Jr., 220-241. New York: Routledge.
- 2019 “Carceral Medicine and Prison Abolition: Trust and Truth-telling in Correctional Healthcare.” In *Overcoming Epistemic Injustice: Social and Psychological Perspectives*, edited by Benjamin R. Sherman and Stacey Goguen, 221-235. London: Rowman and Littlefield International.
- 2019 “Bergsonism in Post-Revolutionary Mexico: Antonio Caso’s Theory of Aesthetic Intuition.” In *Beyond Bergson: Examining Race and Colonialism through the Writings of Henri Bergson*, edited by Andrea J. Pitts and Mark W. Westmoreland, 171-192. Albany: SUNY Press.
- 2018 “Occidentalism and Orientalism in the Writings of Antonio Caso.” *Comparative Studies in Asian and Latin American Philosophies: Cross-cultural Theories and Methodologies*, edited by Stephanie Rivera Berruz and Leah Kalmanson, 13-32. New York: Bloomsbury Press.
- 2018 “Epistemic Injustice and Feminist Epistemology.” *Handbook of Applied Epistemology*, edited by David Coady and James Chase, 101-114. New York: Routledge.
- 2017 “Decolonial Praxis and Epistemic Injustice.” *Handbook of Epistemic Injustice*, edited by Ian Kidd, Gaile Pohlhaus Jr., and José Medina, 149-157. New York: Routledge.
- 2016 “Racial Interpellation, Civic Education and Anti-Latina/o Racism.” *Decolonizing the Westernized University: Interventions in Philosophy of Education from Within and Without*, edited by Ramón Grosfoguel, Roberto D. Hernández, and Ernesto Rosen Velasquez, 187-213. Lanham: Lexington Books.

#### EDITED JOURNAL

- 2014 “Moving Philosophies: Bridging Latin American and U.S. Latina/o Thought,” guest co-editor with Adriana Novoa. *Inter-American Journal of Philosophy* 5 (1).
- 2014 “Introduction to *Moving Philosophies: Bridging Latin American and U.S. Latina/o Thought*,” co-authored introduction with Adriana Novoa. *Inter-American Journal of Philosophy* 5 (1): 1-22.

#### BOOK REVIEWS/COMMENTARIES

- 2022 “Exploring Racialized Gender Dynamics through Hil Malatino’s *Trans Care*.” *Feminist Formations* (in press).
- 2022 “Reflections from Rhode Island’s Safe Consumption Sites Regulations Committee --A Lesson in Racial Equity,” coauthored with Rahul Vanjani, Jon Soske, and Dennis Bailer, *Journal of Addiction Medicine* (in press)
- 2022 “Reflections on Gayle Salamon’s *The Life and Death of Latisha King: A Critical Phenomenology of Transphobia*,” *Philosophy Today* 66 (1): 199-206.
- 2021 “Tracing Genealogical Ambiguities through Zurn’s *Curiosity and Power*,” *APA Newsletter on LGBTQ Issues in Philosophy* 21 (1): 5-8.
- 2020 “Review of Shelley L. Tremain, *Foucault and Feminist Philosophy of Disability*.” *Canadian Journal of Disability Studies* 9, no. 3: 1-9.

- 2018 “Review of Juliet Hooker, *Theorizing Race in the Americas: Douglass, Sarmiento, Du Bois, and Vasconcelos.*” *Critical Philosophy of Race* 6 (1): 109-119.
- 2017 “Review of Mariana Ortega, *In-Between: Latina Feminist Phenomenology, Multiplicity, and the Self.*” *philoSOPHIA: Journal of Feminist Continental Philosophy* 7 (1): 261-268.
- 2016 “Review of Carlos Alberto Sánchez, *Contingency and Commitment: Mexican Existentialism and the Place of Philosophy.*” *Human Studies: Journal for Philosophy and the Social Sciences* 39 (4): 645-652.
- 2011 “Review of Fred Evans, *The Multivoiced Body: Society and Communication in the Age of Diversity.*” *Human Studies: Journal for Philosophy and the Social Sciences* 33 (4): 465-471.

#### OTHER PUBLICATIONS & INTERVIEWS

- 2022 “Shelley Tremain Interviews Andrea Pitts,” Dialogues on Disability, May 18, 2022. *BiopoliticalPhilosophy.com*. <https://biopoliticalphilosophy.com/2022/05/18/dialogues-on-disability-shelley-tremain-interviews-andrea-pitts/>.
- 2022 “Andrea Pitts on *Nos/Otras: Gloria E. Anzaldúa, Multiplicitous Agency, and Resistance,*” *Conversations in Atlantic Theory*, podcast interview with John Drabinski. <https://atlantictheory.org/e20/>.
- 2021 “Andrea J. Pitts, *Nos/Otras: Gloria E. Anzaldúa, Multiplicitous Agency, and Resistance,*” *New Books in Philosophy*, podcast interview with Sarah Tyson. <https://newbooksnetwork.com/nos-otras-gloria-e-anzald%C3%BAa-multiplicitous-agency-and-resistance>.
- 2021 “Andrea Pitts Oral History Interview.” *Historias de Vida: Life Stories of UNC Charlotte’s Latinx Community*, interview with Paula De Maria Campos, J. Murrey Atkins Library Special Collections & University Archives, University of North Carolina, Charlotte, November 17, 2021. <https://goldmine.charlotte.edu/index/render/object/pid/uncc:8124/parentPID/uncc:hy>
- 2021 “Our People: Dr. Andrea J. Pitts,” *QNotes*, interview with L’Monique King. August 6, 2021: <https://goqnotes.com/78738/our-people-dr-andrea-pitts/>.
- 2021 “Transcestry Group Chat, initiated by Grayson Hunt & featuring Tamsin Kimoto, Amy Marvin, Perry Zurn, Andrea Pitts, and Megan Burke,” *QT Voices*, March 1, 2021: <https://sites.utexas.edu/queerandtransvoices/2021/03/transcestry-group-chat/>.
- 2020 “Trans Philosophy: The Early Years, An Interview with Talia Mae Bettcher, Loren Cannon, Miqqi Alicia Gilbert, and C. Jacob Hale.” Co-authored introduction and co-edited interview with Perry Zurn. *APA Newsletter on LGBTQ Issues in Philosophy* 20 (1): 1-10.
- 2020 “Interview with David Peña,” *Interviews with Foucauldians*, Sept. 28, 2020, <https://www.youtube.com/user/TheDavidpena/videos>
- 2019 “Andrea Pitts on Feminist Indigenous Resistance to Neoliberalism,” *Unmuted: Conversations on Prejudice, Oppression, and Social Justice*, edited by Myisha Cherry. New York: Oxford UP.
- 2018 “Embodied Thresholds of Sanctuary: Abolitionism and Trans Worldmaking,” *APA Newsletter on LGBT Issues in Philosophy*, 18 (1): 3-10.
- 2018 “Humanist Battles and Embattled Humanists: Neo-Interventionism, Neo-Pragmatism, and the Coloniality of Truth,” *The Southern Journal of Philosophy* 56 (S1): 93-115.
- 2018 “Andrea Pitts on Indigenous Resistance to Neoliberalism,” *UnMute Podcast*, ep. 034. <https://unmutetalk.podbean.com/e/episode-034-andrea-pitts-on-indigenous-resistance-to->

- [neoliberalism/](#)
- 2017 “Trans & Queer in the Workplace: Andrea Pitts.” *Creative Loafing Charlotte*.  
[https://issuu.com/creativeloafingcharlotte/docs/2016\\_46\\_final\\_low](https://issuu.com/creativeloafingcharlotte/docs/2016_46_final_low)
- 2016 “Featured Philosopher: Andrea Pitts.” *PoliticalPhilosopher.net*. Feb. 19, 2016.  
<https://politicalphilosopher.net/2016/02/19/featured-philosopher-andrea-pitts/>
- 2014 “Cruel and Unusual Care and Punishment: Epistemic Injustices in Correctional Health Care.” *APA Newsletter on Philosophy and Medicine* 14 (1): 6-9.
- 2012 “Critical Genealogies of the History of Latin American Philosophy.” *APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy* 12 (1): 11-14.
- 2011 “Race and Rousseauian Themes in Latin American Philosophy: D.F. Sarmiento and Republican Motherhood.” *APA Newsletter on Feminism and Philosophy* 10 (2): 8-12.

### WORKS IN PROGRESS

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- “Decolonial Feminisms and Indigenous Women’s Resistance to Neoliberalism: Lessons from Abya Yala,” edited by Jacoby Adeshei Carter and Hernando A. Estevez. New York: Fordham University Press (in press)
- “Slaughterhouses, Racialized Labor, and Abolition Democracy,” co-authored with everet smith, *Toward a Political Philosophy of Science: Democracy, Science, and Technology* (in press)
- “Health Empire Under Siege: Healthcare Activism and the Rise of Carceral Medicine”  
*Contestations: Philosophical, Historical, Aesthetic* (under review)
- “Susto, Collective Trauma, and Disability Justice in the Writings of Gloria Anzaldúa” (under review)
- “Latin American Philosophy, U.S. Latinx Philosophy, and Anglo-American Pragmatism,” coauthored with Denise Meda Calderon (under review)
- “Sylvia Rivera and the Fight Against Carceral Medicine” (under review)
- “The Apparatus of Addiction: Substance Use at the Crossroads of Colonial Ableism and Migration,” *Bloomsbury Guide to Philosophy of Disability* (under review)
- “Transgender Philosophy,” coauthored with Perry Zurn, *The Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy* (commissioned entry in preparation)
- Trans Philosophy: Meaning and Mattering*, co-edited volume with Talia Mae Bettcher and Perry Zurn (in preparation)

### AWARDS AND GRANTS

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#### EXTERNAL AWARDS & GRANTS

- Hypatia Diversity Project Grant, co-investigator Perry Zurn, “Global Dialogues in Trans Philosophy,” 2022-2023
- Transgress: Digital Resistance Collective, Trans Justice Funding Project Grant, 2021-2022
- Career Enhancement Fellowship, Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, 2018
- Hypatia Diversity Project Grant, co-investigator Perry Zurn, “The Trans Philosophy Project,” 2018-2019
- American Philosophical Association Small Grant, co-investigator with Perry Zurn, “The Trans Philosophy Project,” 2018-2019
- Women’s History Month Scholar-in-Residence, Wright State University, Dayton, OH, 2017

## INTERNAL AWARDS &amp; GRANTS

Faculty Research Grant, UNC Charlotte, 2022-2023  
 Frances Lumsden Gwynn Research Award, UNC Charlotte, 2018-2019  
 Junior Faculty Development Award, UNC Charlotte, 2019  
 Faculty Research Grant, UNC Charlotte, 2018-2019  
 Chancellor's Diversity Challenge Grant, UNC Charlotte, 2016-2018  
 Summer Research Grant, Vanderbilt Center for Latin American Studies, "Social Identity and Difference in the Humanism of Leopoldo Zea," Mexico City, Mexico, 2014  
 Institute for the Study of Latin America and the Caribbean Grant, University of South Florida  
 "The Politics of Mestizaje & Sexual Difference in the Americas," Buenos Aires, 2009

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 SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS
 

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## REFEREED PRESENTATIONS

- 2022 "Sovereignty and Friendship: Examining Indigenous-Chicana Feminist Friendships," *Southeastern Women's Studies Association Annual Meeting, Virtual Event*
- 2020 "Sylvia Rivera and the Fight Against Carceral Medicine," *Thinking Trans // Trans Thinking Virtual Conference, hosted by the University of Texas, Austin*  
 "Data & Society: A Truly Interdisciplinary Introductory Data Science Course Integrating Ethics, Social Science, Computing, and Statistics," *Academic Data Science Alliance Annual Meeting, Virtual Conference*  
 "The Atlas of Our Skin and Bone and Blood': Disability, Ablenationalism, and the Criminalization of Immigration," *Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, San Miguel de Allende, Mexico*
- 2019 "A Death-dealing Displacement of Difference': Crip Theory, Crimmigration, and Penal Abolitionism," *philoSOPHIA Annual Meeting, Memorial University, St. John's, Newfoundland*
- 2018 "Revolutionary Stirrings in the Writings of Vera Yamuni Tabush," *Annual Meeting of the Caribbean Philosophical Association, Dakar, Senegal*  
 "The Modern/Colonial Gender System and Critical Historiography: Developing Resistant Countermemories across Difference," *Toward Decolonial Feminisms Conference, State College, PA*  
 "Embodied Thresholds of Sanctuary: Abolitionism and Trans Worldmaking," *philoSOPHIA Annual Meeting, Richmond, VA*
- 2017 "Indigenismo and Education: Revisiting the Writings of Vasconcelos and Dewey," *Panel on Decolonizing American Philosophy: Rethinking Race and Human Development, Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Birmingham, AL*
- 2016 "Bergsonism in Post-Revolutionary Mexico: Antonio Caso's Theory of Aesthetic Intuition," *55th Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Salt Lake City, UT*  
 "Race, Revolution, and Bergsonism in the Americas," *Panel presentation, International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, New York, NY*
- 2015 "The Medicalized Body of Coloniality: Compliance and Truth-telling in Biomedicine," *Philosophy Born of Struggle XXII Annual Meeting, Panel titled "Embodying Sylvia Wynter's New Humanism," Storrs, CT*

- “Points of Convergence between Latin American and Africana Philosophies of History: Zea and Serequeberhan on Methodological Situatedness” *54th Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Atlanta, GA*
- “Indigenous Resistance to Neoliberalism: Lessons from *Mujeres Creando*” *Caribbean Philosophical Association 2015 Annual Meeting, Panel titled “Analyzing State Violence against Indigenous Women,” Riviera Maya, Mexico*
- “Examining Gender Difference in Leopoldo Zea’s *Filosofía como Compromiso*” *XXXIII International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, Panel titled “The Intersections between Cuban Studies and Latina Feminisms,” San Juan, Puerto Rico*
- 2014 “Spinning Philosophical Threads: Examining Latin American Philosophy of History and African Hermeneutics,” *Philosophy Born of Struggle, Paine College, August, GA*
- “Calling for Justice: Exploring Informal Networks in Prison Health Care,” Panel “*Caring from the Outside: The Moral Necessity of Informal Networks of Care,*” *World Congress for Feminist Approaches to Bioethics, Mexico City, Mexico*
- “Philosophies of Racial Life: Examining Bergson, Négritude, and Indigenismo,” *8th Annual Conference of philoSOPHIA, Penn State University, PA*
- 2013 “Cruel and Unusual Care and Punishment: Epistemic Injustices in Correctional Health Care,” *Eastern Meeting of American Philosophical Association, Baltimore, MD*
- “Policing Bodies through Prison Health Care: Discursive Injustices and the 2003 Prison Rape Elimination Act,” *Panel for the Society for LGBTQ Philosophy, Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Baltimore, MD*
- “Colonial Silencing and the Clinical Encounter: Examining Resistance through Fanon’s *A Dying Colonialism,*” *Caribbean Philosophical Association, San Juan, Puerto Rico*
- “*Una estética de la frontera* in the Writings of Gloria Anzaldúa and José Vasconcelos,” *International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, Washington D.C.*
- 2012 “Agency, History, and the Politics of Juxtaposition in the Writings of W.E.B. Du Bois,” *Conference of the Midwest Society for Women in Philosophy, Miami University, OH*
- “A Care Ethics of Immigration: Its Promises and Limitations,” *29th International Social Philosophy Conference, Northeastern University, MA*
- “From Interpellation to Intersectionality: Toward an Account of Racial Subjectivization,” *IV Research Workshop of Identity, Memory, and Experience, Carlos III University, Madrid, Spain*
- 2011 “Scientific Racism and the Regulation of Intimate Space in Latin America: Gilberto Freyre and Brazil’s Racial Democracy,” *61st Annual Meeting of the Midwest Association of Latin American Studies, University of Oklahoma, 2011*
- 2010 “The Influence of Gassendist Thought on Princess Elisabeth of Bohemia,” *Pacific Northwest/Western Canada Seminar in Early Modern Philosophy, Simon Fraser University, Canada*

#### INVITED PRESENTATIONS & COMMENTARIES

- 2022 “Seeing with the Heart: Beth Brant, Gloria Anzaldúa, and Indigenous-Chicana Feminist Friendships,” *Keynote Address, Latina/x Feminisms Roundtable, Virtual Event*

- “The Apparatus of Addiction: Substance Use at the Crossroads of Colonial Ableism and Migration,” *Keynote Address, philoSOPHIA 15 Annual Conference, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA*
- “Cruel and Usual Care and Punishment: Healthcare, Prisons, and Abolitionist Alternatives,” *Medicine Grand Rounds, Alpert Medical School, Brown University, Virtual Event*
- “Beth Brant, Gloria Anzaldúa, and Political Dimensions of Indigenous-Chicana Transnational Solidarities,” *Georgetown University Philosophy Departmental Colloquium, Virtual Event*
- Comments on *The Epistemology of Protest: Silence, Epistemic Activism, and the Communicative Life of Resistance* by José Medina, University of Edinburgh, Virtual Event
- “Sylvia Rivera and the Fight Against Carceral Medicine,” Wofford University
- “U.S. Latina/x Abolitionist Feminism: *Nuevos y viejos caminos*/New and old pathways,” *Feminist Political Philosophy Speaker Series, University of Hamburg, Virtual Event*
- “Author-Meets-Critics Session on *Nos/Otras: Gloria E. Anzaldúa, Multiplicitous Agency, and Resistance*,” *Society for Mexican American Philosophy, American Philosophical Association, Virtual Event*
- 2021 “Movement, Militarisation, and Monetisation: Examining Migration through a Disability Justice Framework,” *Philosophy, Disability, and Social Change 2, University of Oxford, Virtual Event*
- Comments at “Care & Migration: A Critical Conversation,” *Northwestern Colloquium on Ethnicity and Diaspora, Virtual Event*
- “Susto, Collective Trauma, and Disability Justice in the Writings of Gloria Anzaldúa,”  
 a) *Departmental Colloquium, DePaul University, Virtual Event*  
 b) *Queen’s University Critical Phenomenology Reading Group, Virtual Event*
- “Sylvia Rivera and the Fight Against Carceral Medicine,” *Forum in Law, Ethics, and Society, Sonoma State University, Virtual Event*
- “Health Empires Behind Bars: Carceral Humanism and the Rise of Correctional Medicine,”  
*Annual Social Justice Speaker, Union Institute and University, Virtual Event*
- “Active Subjectivity and Abolitionist Imaginings: Examining U.S. Chicana/x & Latina/x Feminist Critiques of Carcerality,” *Philosophy in an Inclusive Key Summer Institute (PIKSI), Pennsylvania State University, Virtual Event*
- “Gloria E. Anzaldúa and Crip Futurity in the Americas,”  
 a) *MAP Chapter César Chávez Day Event, University of Michigan, Virtual Event*  
 b) *Keynote Address, Feminist Philosophy Graduate Conference, University of Arizona, Virtual Event*  
 c) *Departmental Colloquium, Dept. of Philosophy, Univ. of Waterloo, Virtual Event*
- “Health Empire Under Siege: Healthcare Activism and the Rise of Carceral Medicine,” *MAP Chapter Event, Fordham University, Virtual Event*
- Comments on *Arts of Address: Being Alive to Language and the World*, *Affiliate Session for the Radical Philosophy Association, Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Virtual Meeting*
- “Sylvia Rivera and the Fight Against Carceral Medicine,” *Committee on LGBT People in*



- the Profession, Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Virtual Meeting*
- 2020 “Health Empires Behind Bars: Carceral Humanism and the Rise of Correctional Medicine,” Annual Speaker for *Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy at the Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Philadelphia, PA*
- 2019 Comments on *The Life and Death of Latisha King, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, PA*
- “*Autohistoria* in Sound: Anzaldúa and Mingus on Self-Expression,” *American Society for Aesthetics, Feminist Caucus Session, Phoenix, AZ*
- “Cruel and Unusual Care and Punishment: Healthcare, Prisons, and Abolitionist Alternatives,” *Edgewood Engaged Keynote Address, Edgewood College, Madison, WI*
- “‘A Death-dealing Displacement of Difference’: The Criminalization of Migration and Penal Abolitionism,” *Diverse Lineages of Existentialism II, George Washington University, Washington DC*
- “Migrations of Mestizaje: Aesthetics and Resistance in the Writings of Gloria E. Anzaldúa and José Vasconcelos,” *Latin America in Theory: Interdisciplinary Explorations of Theoretical Traditions and Challenges, Teresa Lozano Long Institute of Latin American Studies, UT Austin, TX*
- “Building Coalition con Nos/otras: Gloria E. Anzaldúa and Critical Trans Politics,”
- a) *Queen’s University Political Philosophy Workshop, Kingston, ON;*
  - b) *Emory University, Department Colloquium, Atlanta, GA;*
  - c) *California State Fullerton, Annual Symposium, Fullerton, CA*
- “Gloria E. Anzaldúa, Critical Trans Politics, and Decolonial Strategies,” *Texas A&M Philosophy Department Colloquium, College Station, TX*
- “‘Body as the Ground of Thought’: Anzaldúa and the Politics of Representation,” *APA Committee on LGBT People in the Profession, Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, New York City, NY*
- 2018 “Truth, Heresy, and the Coloniality of Representation,” *57th Annual Meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, State College, PA*
- “Keeping Chosen Families Together: Trans Life, Social Death, and the Politics of Migration,” *2<sup>nd</sup> Biennial Transgender Philosophy Conference, Washington, D.C.*
- “Intersectionality and Resistant Imaginaries in Latin American Feminist Philosophy,” *Dept. Colloquium, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC*
- “Carceral Medicine and Prison Abolition,” *Dept. Colloquium, Elon University, Elon, NC*
- Comments on “Ex-Votos for the Patron Saint(s) of the Queer,” *Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Chicago, IL*
- Comments on *The Construction of Human Kinds, Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Chicago, IL*
- “Intersectionality, History of Philosophy, and Peer Review,” *Eastern Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Savannah, GA*
- 2017 “Counter-memory and Critical Historiography: Resistant Imaginaries in Latin American Feminist Philosophy,” *Virginia Tech Philosophy Colloquium, Blacksburg, VA*
- “Humanist Battles and Embattled Humanists: Neo-Interventionism, Neo-Pragmatism, and the Coloniality of Truth,” *Spindel Conference, Memphis, TN*

- “Sanctuaries Then and Now: Historical Memory and the Prison-Industrial-Military Complex,” *Keynote Address, 2<sup>nd</sup> Latinx Philosophy Conference, New Brunswick, NJ*
- Comments on *Contingency and Commitment: Mexican Existentialism and the Place of Philosophy*,” *Group session for the Society for Mexican-American Philosophy, Pacific Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Seattle, WA*
- “‘That Close and Contagious Death’: Symptomatology, Sociogeny, and Structural Oppression,” *Roundtable on “Resistant Affects: On Building Active Intolerance against the Intolerable,” Annual Meeting of philoSOPHIA: Affect and Social Justice, Boca Raton, FL*
- “Trust and Truth-telling in Correctional Healthcare,” *Invited Symposium: Alternative Epistemologies, Central Division Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Kansas City, MO*
- “Reconstructing Racial Geographies in Philosophy of the Americas,” *10<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Philosophies Forum, Atlanta, GA*
- “Prison Abolition and Correctional Healthcare,” *Philosophy and Mass Incarceration, Yale University, New Haven, CT*
- 2016 “Insurrectionist Speech Acts,” *Philosophy Colloquium Series, Pennsylvania State University Department of Philosophy, College Park, PA*
- “Method, Memory, and Carceral Medicine,” *Invited Symposium on Philosophy and Mass Incarceration, Central Division meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Chicago, IL*
- 2015 “Ethnoracial Interpellation and Insurrectionist Ethics” *Philosophy Born of Struggle XXII Annual Meeting, Panel for the Roundtable on Latina Feminism, Storrs, CT*
- “Philosophical and Historical Perspectives on Borders and Immigration,” *Invited talk for Hiram College Lecture Series on Ethics, Borders, and Immigration, Hiram, OH*
- “Time and the Coloniality of Gender: Against or Alongside Transmodernity,” *Caribbean Philosophical Association, Panel for the Roundtable on Latina Feminism titled “Latina Feminism, Decoloniality, and Gender,” Riviera Maya, Mexico*
- 2014 “‘The Becoming of New Origins’: Writing the Self through Nationalism and Sexuality,” *Invited Panelist representing the Roundtable on Latina Feminism, Diverse Lineages of Existentialism: Africana, Feminist, and Continental Philosophy, St. Louis, MO*
- 2013 “The Damnation and Uplift of Women: Feminine Agency and Du Bois’ Politics of Juxtaposition,” *Philosophical Collaborations: A Conference for Faculty and Student Interaction, Panel with Dr. Lucius T. Outlaw Jr., Southern Illinois University, IL*
- 2012 “‘Reclaiming Feminist Grounds on New Terrains’: Critical Genealogies of the History of Latin American Philosophy,” *Philosophy without Borders: A Symposium in Honor of Ofelia Schutte, Florida Gulf Coast University, FL*
- 2009 “A Chimera, Lie, and Illusion: Reciprocal Love in Rousseau” *Ellen C. Wagner UNF Alumna Presentation, 13th Annual Northeast Florida Student Philosophy Conference, University of North Florida, FL*

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**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**


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<i>Intro to Epistemology (Knowledge &amp; Reality)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2015; 2017; 2022
<i>Health, Punishment, and Carceral Med (grad/und)</i>	Univ. of Waterloo, 2021
<i>Critical Trans Politics</i>	PIKSI Rock Ethics Institute, 2021
<i>Data &amp; Society (co-taught studio course)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2021
<i>Pragmatism (grad/und)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2020
<i>Philosophy Senior Seminar</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2020
<i>Queer Migration Studies (grad)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2020
<i>Critical Trans Politics (Honors College)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2019
<i>Race, Gender, and Prison Abolition (grad/und)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2019
<i>Feminist Epistemology</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2018
<i>Phenomenology &amp; Pragmatics (grad)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2018
<i>Latin American Thought (grad)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2017
<i>Feminist Theory (grad)</i>	UNC Charlotte, 2016
<i>The Meaning of Life</i>	Vanderbilt University, 2014
<i>General Logic</i>	Vanderbilt University, 2013
<i>Philosophy of Love and Sex</i>	University of South Florida, 2011
<i>Biomedical Ethics</i>	University of South Florida, 2010

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**GRADUATE STUDENT SUPERVISION**


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**PH.D. DISSERTATION COMMITTEES**

2019-2022	Denise Meda Calderon, Texas A&M University, Philosophy
2020	Cristina Bernabéu Franch, <i>La colaboración de los artefactos en la producción de la normatividad de género</i> , Autonomous University of Madrid, Estudios Artísticos, Literarios y de la Cultura

**PHILOSOPHY M.A. RESEARCH PAPERS AND THESES, UNC CHARLOTTE**

2021-2022	Amanda Pinto, "Resistance in the Paradoxical Space of a Pole Dancing Studio"
2020-2021	Drake Davis, "Rortyan Anguish and Bad Faith" Elizabeth Rhodes, "Queering Phenomenological Psychopathology" Everet Smith, "Hygiene and Vasconcelian <i>Mestizaje</i> "
2019-2020	Adrianna Brown, "The Potentiality of Dance as a Healing Process from Settler Colonial Traumas"
2018-2019	Camilla Cannon, "Nonbinary Gender Identity and Algorithmic-Psychometric Marketing Legibility"
2017-2018	Zac Easterling, "Afromation: Refusing Understanding as Fugitivity Knowledge— A Black Song and Dance" Thomas Gilliam, "Reconsidering Catharine Mackinnon: Confronting Male Complicity in Rape Culture with Radical Feminism"
2016-2017	Stephanie Holt, "The Aesthetic Dimension of the Prison Industrial Complex: Rendering the Complex Visible through Art" Nii Yartey, "In Defense of Ontological Homelessness"
2015-2016	Ash Williams, "Black Bodies That Matter: Corporeality in the Movement for Black Lives"

## LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES M.A. EXAMS AND THESES, UNC CHARLOTTE

- 2021-2022 Mia Guerrero, "Puerto Rico's Debt Crisis: An Overview of Public Health, Education, and Debt"
- 2020-2021 Ana Valdez, "Cuban Gender and Sexuality Studies"
- 2018-2019 Yerson Padilla, "Philosophical Perspectives on Race and Ethnicity"
- 2017-2018 Mel Castañeda, "The Criminalization of Latinxs"  
Celeste Chavez, "Positivism in Mexico"  
Vanessa Chicas Garcia, "U.S. Latina Feminist Theory"  
Cat Lemon, "Queer Migration Studies"
- 2016-2017 Angelica Gumucio, "Latin American Feminist Philosophy"

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**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND DEVELOPMENT**


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## SERVICE TO DEPARTMENTS

- Graduate Program Director, Philosophy Department, 2020-present
- Co-organizer, Basics of the PhD Application Workshop, 2016-present
- Co-organizer, School of Data Science, Spring Speaker Series on State Violence and Surveillance: "Violence in a Digital Age: Activist Perspectives" & "Binary Explosives: On a Trans Landscape," 2021
- Honors Director, Philosophy Department, 2019-2020
- Course Development, Data Science Studios I and II for B.S. Program, 2020
- Committee Member, Program Development of Latinx Studies Minor, 2019-2020
- Department Representative, CLAS Faculty Council, Spring 2017-Fall 2017
- Search Committee Member, Philosophy Department, 2016-2017
- Undergraduate Program Committee Member, Latin American Studies, 2016-2017

## SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

- Co-organizer, "Latinx Pathways to Graduate School," with Hispanic College Awareness Program and the Latinx Student Union, 2022
- Panel Member, "The Death & Life of Marsha P. Johnson & The Power & Beauty of Trans Communities of Color," CHHS, 2022
- Caucus Speech, Latinx Graduation, Latinx/Hispanic Faculty & Staff Caucus, 2022
- Caucus Speech, Lavender Graduation, LGBTQ+ Staff and Faculty Caucus, 2021
- Vice-President, Latinx/Hispanic Faculty and Staff Caucus, 2020-present
- Panel Member, Tips and Tricks for Virtual Conferences, Center for Graduate Life, 2020
- Panel Member, Hispanic Heritage Month Presentation, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, Atkins Library, Fall 2020
- Panel Member, *Solidarity Symposium* for LGBTQ+ Staff and Faculty Caucus: "Entre Mundos: Latinx Communities and Intersectionality," Spring 2019
- Workshop Moderator, "Trans History 101," Queer Year 1, Fall 2019
- Event Co-organizer, *Día de Muertos* Celebration, Fall 2019
- Committee Member, "Know Me Project," Fall 2019 President, LGBTQ+ Staff and Faculty Caucus, 2016-2017
- Event Organizer, "Traveling Soles," Photography Exhibit by Verónica G. Cárdenas, UNC Charlotte Atkins Library, 2019
- Event Organizer, "Incarceration across the Americas: Transnational Perspectives on the Prison

Industrial Complex and Globalization,” *Latin American Studies*, 2017  
 Event Co-organizer, “Know Your Rights/*Conoce tus derechos*” Workshop, 2017  
 Event Co-organizer, OUTSpoken Speaker Series, 2016-2019  
 Event Co-organizer, “Wages, Gender, and Fear: A Discussion of North Carolina’s Past, Present, and Future,” 2016

#### SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Section co-editor, *Feminist Philosophy*, *Philosophy Compass*, 2019-Present  
 Co-founder and executive committee member, *Trans Philosophy Project*, 2018-present  
 Executive board member, *Philosophy Born of Struggle*, 2020-present  
 Editorial board member, *Bioethics for Social Justice*, Book Series, Oxford University Press  
 Editorial board member, *Journal of Philosophy of Disability*  
 Panelist, “Lived Experiences: Inclusivity in Pedagogy and Research in Philosophy,” *Filosofie*, Université du Québec à Montréal, Virtual Event  
 Facilitator, Social Medicine Reading Group, Brown University Alpert Medical School, 2021  
 Workshop organizer, “Mutual Aid in Graduate School,” MAP Vanderbilt University, 2020  
 Panelist, “Underrepresented Perspectives on Pursuing Academic Philosophy: An APA Webinar for Undergrads,” American Philosophical Association, 2020  
 Program committee, Eastern Division of the American Philosophical Association, 2018-2020  
 Co-founder and panel organizer, Trans Philosophy Project Affiliate Group, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, 2019  
 Committee Chair, LGBTQ Advocacy Committee, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, 2020-2022  
 Committee member, LGBT Advocacy Committee, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, 2018-2020  
 Conference co-organizer with Perry Zurn, “Thinking Trans//Trans Thinking Conference,” Washington, D.C., 2018  
 Program committee, Annual Meeting of Philosophy Born of Struggle, 2018  
 Co-founder and organizer, Bergson Circle, Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, 2016-2019  
 Session organizer, Society for LGBTQ Philosophy, American Philosophical Association, Eastern, Central & Pacific Division Meetings, 2015-2017  
 Conference co-organizer with José Medina, “The Latina Dialogues: Latina Feminism and Other Feminisms,” Vanderbilt University, TN, 2013  
 Indexer, *In-Between: Latina Feminist Phenomenology, Multiplicity, and the Self*, SUNY, 2015.  
 Indexer, *The Epistemology of Resistance*, Oxford University Press, 2012  
 Referee, *American Quarterly*, *Contemporary Political Theory*, *Critical Philosophy of Race*, *Current Sociology*, *Feminist Philosophy Quarterly*, *Florida Philosophical Review*, *Hypatia*, *Inter-American Journal of Philosophy*, *Journal of Intercultural Studies*, *The Latin Americanist*, Liverpool University Press, Oxford University Press, *Penumbra*, *Perspectives on Science*, *philoSOPHIA: Journal of Continental Feminism*, *Public Philosophy Journal*, *Puncta*, *Radical Philosophy Review*, *Southern Journal of Philosophy*

#### WORKGROUPS AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Latina/x Feminisms Roundtable, 2008-2022  
 Feminist Decolonial Politics: A Decolonial Thought Workshop, 2015-2019/2022  
 Southeast Roundtable on Philosophy of the Americas, Charlotte, NC, 2015-2021

American Comparative Literature Association Workgroup, “Decolonizing Race: An Ontological Turn,” Utrecht University, Netherlands, 2017

Global Feminisms Collaborative, Vanderbilt University, TN, 2013-2016

REACH Coalition/Unit 6 Group, Riverbend Maximum Security Prison, TN, 2012-2015

Social/Political Theory Workshop, Vanderbilt University, TN, 2011-2014

City Seminar in History of Philosophy: Leibniz’ *Philosophical Essays*, Toronto, 2014

International Summer School, “Decolonizing Knowledge and Power,” Barcelona, 2013

### LANGUAGES

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Spanish	reading, translation, and speaking competency
French	reading competency
Portuguese	reading competency