# CURRÍCULUM VITAE

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**EDUCATION:**

**MA in Spanish from the Department of Languages, Literatures, and Cultures**

Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO, May 2018.

**BA in Spanish, Minor in English Literary Studies and French.**

University of the Cumberlands. Williamsburg, KY May 2015.

**Emergency Certification Spanish Teacher**

Fayette County, Kentucky, 2015 -2016

**Certified English Teacher.**

Escuela Mexicana Canadiense de Inglés (EMCI) México, D.F. 2001

**Diplomado: *Art Into Film: Screen Reflection*.**

CONACULTA – CENART, México, D.F. 2001.

**Diplomado *Historia Mundial del Cine*.**

CONACULTA – CENART, México, D.F. 2000.

**HONORS AND AWARDS**:

* Spring 2018. Awarded The Ronald W. Walker Graduate Award for Excellence in Scholarship for the Thesis of “Historias del Kronen: Análisis de las diferencias argumentales entre la novela y la adaptación cinematográfica, y su impacto en la recepción.”
* Spring 2018. Presentation of article: “El monte y la montaña: Análisis afrocubano y nicaragüense.” Symposium: Environment and Conflict in Latin America. <https://languages.colostate.edu/events/environment-conflict-latin-america/>
* Spring 2015. Outstanding Senior in French Award. The American Association of Teachers of French.
* Spring 2015. Elected member of Cum Laude Honor.
* Spring 2015. Elected member of Pi Delta Phi, French Honor Society.
* Oct 28, 2014. International Student Representative to meeting with Kentucky Consular Center (KCC) and representative of the Department of State – Consular Affairs
* April 27, 2014 Ken and Tessa Nelson Brown Spanish Writing Award.
* Spring 2014. Elected member of Who’s Who in US Higher Education.
* Spring 2014. Elected member of Sigma Tau Delta, English Honor Society.
* Fall 2013. 2nd place National French Writing Award.
* Spring 2013. Elected member of Sigma Delta Pi, Spanish Honor Society.
* Spring 2012. Elected member of Alpha Lambda Delta, Freshman Honor Society.
* Fall 2011-Spring 2015. Member of the Dean’s List every semester.

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

**Fall 2016 – Spring 2018**

Graduate Teacher Assistant. Colorado State University.

Classes: LSPA 100-003: Elementary Spanish I

LSPA 102-003: Elementary Spanish II

LSPA 200- 001: Intermediate Spanish I

LSPA 200- 003: Intermediate Spanish I

**Fall 2015 – Spring 2016**

Spanish Teacher – Bryan Station High School

**Fall 2014 – Spring 2015**

Spanish Tutor – University of the Cumberlands

**December 2009 - August 2011**

Teacher of English as a Second Language

Harmon Hall, Plaza Arte

Cancún, Quintana Roo, México

**WORK EXPERIENCE:**

**Escuela Mexicana Canadiense de Inglés** – Student – Teacher of English

December 1999 to December 2001

Cerro Tlapacoyan #4 Col. Copilco, Mexico City, Mexico

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Director: René Padilla

**El Mariachi Mexican Restaurant** – Assistant Manager

August 2002 to April 2006

10513 Harrison Avenue, Harrison, Ohio 45030

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Manager: Ricardo Garrido

**Distribuidora Dilop’s** – Sales and Language Advisor

June 2007 to August 2009

Centro Comercial Centroamérica, local 17 A

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**Harmon Hall** – English Teacher - December 2009 to August 2011

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Supervisor: Joana Herrera

**University of the Cumberlands**- Student Worker

January 2012 to May 2015

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Tel. (606) 539-4209

Supervisor: Mr. Steve Morris

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**Bryan Station High School** – Spanish Teacher

October 2015 to 2016

201 Eastin Rd, Lexington, KY, 40505

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Coordinator: Laura DeVettori

**Colorado State University** – Graduate Teaching Assistant

August 2016 to 2018

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