

CONTRACT ON THE EXTERNAL REVIEW OF THE AGENCY FOR SCIENCE AND HIGHER EDUCATION (ASHE)

THIS CONTRACT is made BETWEEN

- (1) The Agency for Science and Higher Education (ASHE) whose head office is at Donje Svetice 38, 10 000 Zagreb (Croatia), and represented by Ms. Jasmina Havranek, hereafter referred to as ASHE

and

- (2) The Agency for Quality Assurance in Higher Education and Research of Andalusia (AGAE), whose head office is at Avenida Al Nasir, n.3, planta 3a, puerta 2, E-14006 Cordoba (Spain) and represented by Mr Elias Fereres, hereafter referred to as "AGAE"

The parties agree as follows:

Recitals

WHEREAS in accordance with the ENQA membership provisions in Section 4 of the ENQA Regulations, ENQA member agencies are required to undergo external reviews at least once every five years;

WHEREAS ASHE has an Associate Status within ENQA (European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education) since December 20, 2007;

WHEREAS ASHE has an established role in the Croatian Higher Education System;

WHEREAS AGAE has agreed to organize the ASHE's external review;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants herein contained, the two parties agree to the following terms and conditions established in this contract and its annexes I-II ("the contract").

Article 1. The Review

AGAE will undertake a review of ASHE in accordance with the membership regulations of ENQA, the requirements of the *European Standards and Guidelines for Quality Assurance in Higher Education* and the agreed Terms of Reference shown in Annex 1 to this contract.

Article 2. Review timetable

Both contracting parties shall respect the timetable presented under chapter 6 of the Terms of Reference.

Article 3. Payment of the review fee

3.1 The review fee will be 33.000 EUR, payable to AGAE following the signature of this contract.

3.2 The review fee will be paid in two installments. Please see chapter 5 of the Terms of Reference for further information.

3.3 The fee will only be paid in the currency (EUR) in which this contract is made.

3.4 The amount paid by ASHE is refundable when the travel and subsistence costs are less than the allowance made.

The amounts shall be paid by bank transfer to the following account opened in the name of AGAE:

Bank name and address: CAJA DE AHORROS Y MONTE DE PIEDAD DE CORDOBA
(CAJASUR)

Full bank account number: 2024-0000-83-3800011365

Swift Code: CECAESMM024

IBAN: ES90-2024-0000-83-3800011365

Account holder: UNIDAD PARA LA CALIDAD DE LAS UNIVERSIDADES ANDALUZAS

The AGAE Secretariat will provide two invoices.

Article 4. Termination of the contract, Force majeure

The implementation of the external review can be terminated by either of the parties in the case of force majeure. Force majeure shall mean any exceptional, unforeseeable situation beyond the parties' control which might prevent either of them from performing their obligations under this contract. Neither of the parties can be considered liable for breach of the obligations under this contract if this has been due to a force majeure. Negligence, intentional action, defects in equipment or delays in its delivery, labour disputes, strikes or financial problems cannot be considered as a force majeure.

Article 5. Amendments

This contract is the entire agreement of the parties and may be amended only by written agreement.

Article 6. Annexes

The following annexes form an integral part of this contract:

Annex I: Terms of Reference of the external review of ASHE

Annex II: List of experts and their curricula vitae

Article 7. Jurisdiction and Applicable Law

The ruling law of this contract and of the relationship of the parties hereto arising out of it shall be Croatian Law. Any disputes arising under this Contract shall be settled by

mutual agreement of the parties. In contrary, both parties to this contract agree to submit to the jurisdiction of the Croatian Courts in respect of any matters arising out of or in connection with the contract.

SIGNATURES

For and on the behalf of AGAE

Mr Elías Fereres Castiel

Director

February 23, 2011

For and on behalf of ASHE

Ms. Jasmina Havranek

Director

February 23, 2011

ANNEX I

External Review of the Agency for Science and Higher Education (ASHE)

by the

Agency for the Quality Assurance in Higher Education and Research of Andalusia
(AGAE).

Annex 1: TERMS OF REFERENCE

23 February 2011

1. Background and Context

The Agency for Science and Higher Education (ASHE), established by the Croatian government in 2004 (Official Gazette 101/2004), is the quality assurance agency in Croatian science and higher education. The main mission of the Agency is to continuously support quality improvement of science and higher education, by applying European and international best practices. The Agency carries out a part of the procedure of initial accreditation, procedures of reaccreditation, thematic evaluation and audit, collects and processes data on Croatian higher education, science and related systems, which serve as a basis for analyses necessary to establish standards and criteria of evaluations carried out by the Agency, as well as a basis for informed and evidence-based strategic decision-making of bodies in the system of higher education and science. The Agency also provides information and unifies data on the conditions of enrolment in higher education institutions in the Republic of Croatia. One of the Agency tasks is to administer and support the activities of the National Council for Higher Education, National Council for Science, Council for Financing Scientific Activity and Higher Education, Ethics Committee in Science and Higher Education, 7 Area Councils, 22 Scientific Field Committees, Humanities and Arts Committees and expert panels.

The Agency is a full member of INQAAHE (International Network for Quality Assurance Agencies in Higher Education) and CEE Network (Network of Central and Eastern European Quality Assurance Agencies in Higher Education) as well as the OECD IMHE Forum (Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development – Programme for Institutional management in Higher Education).

ASHE has an associate status within ENQA (European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education) since December 20, 2007.

2. Purpose and Scope of the Evaluation

The Management Board of ASHE has commissioned AGAE to conduct an external review of ASHE. This review is type B, as defined in the *Guidelines for External Reviews of Quality Assurance Agencies in the EHEA*. It will evaluate the way in which and to what extent ASHE fulfils the criteria for the ENQA membership and thus the *Standards and Guidelines for Quality Assurance in the European Higher Education Area*.

The review also aims at providing feedback on ASHE's role and tasks in the context of the Croatian higher education and science systems, as the main instrument for quality promotion and assurance carried out through all types of external evaluation of higher education institutions and scientific organizations in Croatia according to the Act on Quality Assurance in Science and Higher Education. Feedback from the review panel about these activities is useful to ASHE and helps to determine their effectiveness and whether they meet the set aims.

3. The Review Process

The process will follow in general terms the ENQA policy on "ENQA-organised external reviews of member agencies".

The evaluation procedure will consist of the following steps:

- Nomination and appointment of the review team members;
- Self-evaluation by ASHE including the preparation of a self-evaluation report;
- A site visit by the panel of reviewers to ASHE;
- Preparation, completion and submission of the final evaluation report.

3.1 Nomination and appointment of the review team members

The review panel will consist of six members: five external reviewers (two quality assurance experts, two representatives of higher education institutions, a student) and a review secretary. The members are totally independent of ASHE. The proposal of the expert panel with their respective curricula vitae will be submitted to ENQA by AGAE.

3.2 Self-evaluation by ASHE, including the preparation of a self-evaluation report

ASHE is responsible for the execution and organisation of its own self-evaluation process and shall take into account the following guidance:

- Self-evaluation is organised as a project with a clearly defined schedule and includes all relevant internal and external stakeholders;
- The self-evaluation report is broken down by the topics of the evaluation: background description of the current situation of the Agency; analysis and appraisal of the current situation; proposals for improvement and measures already planned; a summary of perceived strengths and weaknesses;
- The report is well-structured, concise and comprehensively prepared. It clearly demonstrates the extent to which ASHE fulfils its tasks of external quality assurance and meets the criteria for the ENQA membership and thus the *European Standards and Guidelines*. The report will be submitted to the review panel a minimum of four weeks prior to the site visit.

3.3 A Site Visit by the Review Panel

The review panel will draw up and publish a schedule of the site visit. ASHE shall be given at least one month's notice of the site visit schedule in order to properly organise the requested interviews. The schedule will include an indicative timetable of the meetings and other exercises to be undertaken by the review team during the site visit, the duration of which will be 2 days.

3.4 Preparation and completion of the final evaluation report

On the basis of the review panel's findings, the review secretary will draft the report in consultation with the expert panel. The report will take into account the purpose and scope of the evaluation as defined under article 2. It will also provide a clear rationale for its findings. A draft will be submitted for comment to ASHE within four weeks of the site visit for comment on factual accuracy. If ASHE chooses to provide a statement in reference to the draft report it will be submitted to the chairperson of the review panel within two weeks after the receipt of the draft report. Thereafter the expert panel will take into account the statement by ASHE, finalise the document and submit it to ASHE and AGAE, which will submit it to the ENQA Secretariat for the attention of the Board.

The report is to be finalised within two months of the site visit and will not exceed 40 pages in length.

4. Follow-up Process and Publication of the Report

ASHE will consider the expert panel's report and inform AGAE of its plans to implement any recommendations contained in the report. Subsequent to the discussion of the evaluation results and any planned implementation measures with AGAE, the review report and the follow-up plans agreed upon will be published on ASHE website.

5. Budget

ASHE shall pay the following review related fees:

- Chair 5.000 EUR
- Review secretary 5.000 EUR
- Other panel members (4) 3.000 EUR
- Administrative overhead for AGAE 5.000 EUR
- Travel and subsistence expenses (approximate) 6.000 EUR

In the case that allowance for travel and subsistence expenses are exceeded, ASHE will cover any additional costs after the completion of the review.

The fees will be paid in two instalments – the first one, amounting to EUR 16.500, will be paid by May 10th 2011. The second one, amounting to approx. EUR 16.500, depending on the total travel and subsistence expenses, will be paid by November 1st 2011.

6. Indicative Schedule of the Review

The duration of the evaluation is scheduled to take about 10 months, from February 2011 to November 2011:

ASHE self-evaluation completed	February 2011
Agreement on terms of reference and protocol for review	March 2011
Appointment of review team members by ENQA	March 2011

Preparation of site visit schedule and indicative timetable	April 2011
Briefing of review team members	May 2011
Expert panel site visit	June 2011
Draft of evaluation report to ASHE	July 2011
Statement of ASHE to review team if necessary	July 2011
Submission of final report to ASHE, AGAE and ENQA	Sept. 2011
Consideration of report and response by ENQA	October 2011
Publication of report and implementation plan	Nov. 2011

ANNEX II

LIST OF EXPERTS AND THEIR CURRICULUM VITAE

Chair: Seámus Puirseil

Secretary: Janja Komljenovic

Members:

Kurt Sohm

Domingo Do Campo

María Cristina Pastor Varcácel

Nieves Pascual

Seamus Puirseil
96 Ennafort Park, Raheny, Dublin 5, IRELAND
Telephone No.: +353 1 8327478 (Home) +353 87 2476811 (Mobile)

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Teaching Credential, St Patrick's College of Education, Dublin
Bachelor of Arts (History and Politics) University College Dublin
Higher Diploma in Education, University College Dublin
Master of Arts (Politics) University College Dublin

He taught in a number of schools in the Dublin area and was elected as President of the Irish National Teachers's Organisation (INTO). A member of City of Dublin Education Committee he served on the Standing Committee of IVEA and was for a number of years President of the Association of Vocational Education Colleges.

From 1996 to 2001 Director, National Council for Educational Awards having previously served as Deputy Chairman of the Council. He also served as deputy chairman of first NCVA Council.

From 2001 to his retirement in 2008 he was first Chief Executive of the Higher Education and Training Awards Council. While Chief Executive of HETAC he was Secretary of the worldwide International Network for Quality Assurance in Higher Education and Vice-President of the European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education.

Since his retirement he has been appointed President of Dublin Business School and of the Institute of Professional Selling. In the past couple of years headed up higher education projects and reviews in Spain, Denmark, Croatia, Bahrain and the United Arab Emirates.

**EUROPEAN
CURRICULUM VITAE
FORMAT**



PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name	KOMLJENOVICH, JANJA
Temporary address	LIPAHOVA ULICA 30, 1000 LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
Permanent address	DELAVSKA 1, 2312 OREHOVA VAS, SLOVENIA
Telephone	+ 386 41 628 798
E-mail	janja.komljenovic@gmail.com
Nationality	Slovene
Date of birth	26. 08. 1982, Maribor

WORK EXPERIENCE

Employment

- | | |
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| • Dates (from – to) | January 2010 - |
| • Name of employer | Centre for educational policy studies, University of Ljubljana |
| • Type of business or sector | Public sector |
| • Occupation or position held | Researcher |
| • Main activities and responsibilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Research in higher education- Part of the research project team for the project »Differentiation, Equity, Productivity: the social and economic consequences of expanded and differentiated higher education systems – internationalisation aspects (DEP-08-EuroHESC-OP-016)« |
| • Dates (from – to) | January 2009 - |
| • Name of employer | Ministry of Higher Education, Science and Technology |
| • Type of business or sector | Public sector |
| • Occupation or position held | Advisor for higher education |
| • Main activities and responsibilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Active cooperation in legislative preparation and changes in the field of higher education- Active cooperation in the preparation of the National Higher Education Master Plan 2011-2020- Cooperation in the work of the ministry in the field of higher education- Bologna Follow Up Group member- National representative in EQAR general assembly- Observer of the EQAR Register Committee |
| • Dates (from – to) | November 2007 – October 2008 |
| • Name of employer | Kolektor Sikom d.o.o., Vojkova 10, Idrija |
| • Type of business or sector | Mechanical production company |
| • Occupation or position held | HRM Project manager |

- Main activities and responsibilities
 - Creating and setting up the system for employee evaluation and employee awarding
 - Introduction of competence based employee evaluation
 - Updating the training system for employees
 - Creating and setting up the career system for employees
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- Dates (from – to) March 2007 – September 2007
 - Name of employer European University Association, Brussels, Belgium
 - Type of business or sector Higher education
 - Occupation or position held Project officer
 - Main activities and responsibilities
 - Research and managing research projects in the field of higher education
 - Policy making
 - Work in the field of Bologna process and other higher education processes

Contractual work

- Dates (from – to) December 2006 – March 2007
 - Name of employer European University Association, Brussels, Belgium
 - Type of business or sector Higher education
 - Occupation or position held Advisor
 - Main activities and responsibilities
 - Research on higher education funding and study analysis
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- Dates (from – to) September – December 2006
 - Name of employer Friedrich Ebert Stiftung & Slovenian student union
 - Type of business or sector Policy making
 - Occupation or position held Organisation of the international conference
 - Main activities and responsibilities
 - Programme preparation
 - Communication with speakers and participants
 - General practical organisation (communication with hotels, document preparation etc)
 - Opening speech
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- Dates (from – to) June – September 2004
 - Name of employer Aragon, d.o.o.
 - Type of business or sector Research and planning
 - Occupation or position held Statistical analyst
 - Main activities and responsibilities
 - Statistical analysis of data
 - Preparing reports and presentations for clients
 - Market research

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Student representation (selection)

- Dates (from – to) December 2004 – December 2006
- Name of employer Student Organization of University of Ljubljana
- Type of business or sector Higher education
- Occupation or position held Student minister for Higher Education and member of Executive Committee

- Main activities and responsibilities

- Organizing of workshops for Student representatives in University of Ljubljana
- Cooperating and coordinating with other International Organisations and Committees on HE topics
- Policy making for Slovenian Student Union and representing Slovenian Student Union on the field of Higher Education
- Cooperating and leading of all activities of Slovenian Student Union for legislative changes in Higher Education
- Establishing the Group of student bologna promoters within the Student Organization of Ljubljana
- Preparation of the status report of implementing the Higher Education reform in University of Ljubljana
- Cooperating with employers in the field of Bologna process
- Cooperating and negotiating with University of Ljubljana
- Organising of rectors' and students' conference of South East Europe in cooperation with University of Ljubljana; member of Programme Committee
- Member of Executive Committee of Student Union of University of Ljubljana
- Leading the Unit for Higher Education at Student Union of University of Ljubljana (leading a team up to 14 people); organising the work
- Autonomous preparation and implementation of the budget for the Unit for Higher Education at Student Union of University of Ljubljana (up to 25.000.000 SIT)

- Dates (from – to)

January 2006 – January 2007

- Name of employer

ESIB – The National Unions of Students in Europe

- Type of business or sector

Higher education and student issues

- Occupation or position held

Executive Committee member

- Main activities and responsibilities

- Leading and coordinating of ESIB – organisation of work and budget, creating and executing policies, taking decisions, policy making, representing organisation etc.
- Leading the Bologna Process Committee
- Cooperating with other representatives in international environment
- Member of different European bodies as ESIB representative (f.e. E4 group)
- Speaking at several European conferences as ESIB representative
- Cooperating with EUA (European Student Association)
- Cooperating with ENQA (European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education)
- Organising international events

WORK EXPERIENCE

Volunteer work

- Dates (from – to)

2003

- Name of employer

Women's counseling, Ljubljana

- Type of business or sector

Counselling

- Occupation or position held

Assistant

- Main activities and responsibilities

- Cooperating in counselling to clients of Women's counselling
- Cooperating in workshops on body image for clients of Women's counselling

- Dates (from – to)

2004

- Name of employer

Psychiatric hospital Polje, Ljubljana

- Type of business or sector

Helping clients

- Occupation or position held

Assistant

- Main activities and responsibilities

- Spending time and discussing with clients
- Helping in outside hospital life of clients

- Dates (from – to) 2003 - 2004
- Name of employer Association Ključ, CAP (Child Assault Prevention), Ljubljana
- Type of business or sector Counselling to elementary school children
- Occupation or position held Councillor
- Main activities and responsibilities
 - Leading workshops (CAP method) for parents of elementary school children
 - Leading workshops (CAP method) for elementary school children

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- Dates (from – to) 1989 - 1997
 - Education Elementary school education
- Name of organisation providing education and training Elementary school Prežihov Voranc, Maribor
- Dates (from – to) 1997 - 2001
 - Education High school graduate
- Name of organisation providing education and training Prva gimnazija Maribor
- Dates (from – to) 2001-2006
 - Education Psychologist
- Name and type of organisation providing education and training University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Arts, department of psychology
- Dates (from – to) 2009 – (expected 2012)
 - Education Educational policy (doctoral programme)
- Name and type of organisation providing education and training University of Ljubljana, Faculty of education

PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

*Acquired in the course of life and career
but not necessarily covered by formal
certificates and diplomas.*

MOTHER TONGUE **Slovene**

OTHER LANGUAGES

Self assessment

English

Croatian

French

German

Understanding		Speaking		Writing
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
excellent	excellent	excellent	excellent	very good
excellent	excellent	excellent	very good	good
good	good	basic	basic	basic
basic	good	basic	basic	basic

SOCIAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

Living and working with other people, in multicultural environments, in positions where communication is important and situations where teamwork is essential (for example culture and sports), etc.

ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

Coordination and administration of people, projects and budgets; at work, in voluntary work (for example culture and sports) and at home, etc.

IMPORTANT SEMINARS AND EVENTS ATTENDED

- SELECTION

OTHER

- Driving licence
- Computer skills
- Hobbies

- Team work; I have been working in different types of teams and cooperating with others, e.g. sports teams, working teams within faculty, committees or teams with student organizations, international teams
- Communication competences; cooperating in different committees, preparing, organising and executing different workshops and trainings, public speaking and presenting on conferences and press conferences etc.
- Flexibility, ability to adapt to different situations, people and multicultural environments etc.
- Ability to work under pressure and working with authorities
- Organisational skills including (international) events, conferences, trainings and seminars
- Managing teams (including international); I gained it through work in committees and chairing them, where I was stimulating coordinating and planning work
- Ability of coordinating different points of views or different groups; moderating debates which included representatives of students, universities, government
- Project preparation and reporting (preparing project documentation, final and handover reports etc.)
- AMUE (Agence de mutualisation des universités et établissements) conference: Evaluation des enseignements et des formations : une étape vers la Qualité; Paris, September 2007 -speaker
- 1st Quality Assurance Forum: Munich, Germany. November, 2006 – organizer and speaker
- OECD ministerial summit “quality, efficiency and equity in Higher Education”: Athens, Greece. June 2006 – speaker
- ANECA & ENQA conference “European standards and guidelines, the way forward”: Santander, Spain. June 2006 – speaker
- Bologna Process seminar – External dimension: Athens, Greece. June 2006 – participant
- ECA seminar: Bruges, Belgium. May 2006 – participant
- EUA conference “Strengthening Higher Education and Research in South East Europe: Priorities for Regional and European Cooperation: Vienna, Austria. March 2006 – speaker
- 5th Quality Assurance Forum: Lyon, France. November, 2010 – keynote speaker

B – category

Good knowledge of MS Office programmes (WORD, EXCEL, POWERPOINT etc.), SPSS (programme for statistical analysis), ATLAS (programme for content analysis), FREEMIND (programme for creating mindmaps)

Spending time with friends, traveling, running, swimming.

DOMINGO DOCAMPO

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Date of Birth: 23-IX-54.

Ms: Mathematics, Universidad de Valladolid, 1976.

Ph.D.: Mathematics, Universidade de Santiago, 1984.

Current position: Professor, since 1992.

Institution: Universidade de Vigo.

School: School of Telecommunications.

Department: Signal Theory and Communications.

Professional

Experience

10/10–: Granada Campus of Excellence (GENIL), Advisory Board Member.

2/08–: President, Evaluation of Engineering Programs, ACSUSYL.

4/08–: Advisory Board Member, Ikerbasque.

2/08–12/10: President, Evaluation of Programs and Degrees Commission, AQU Catalunya.

1/08–03/09: Coordinator IMAN Program, Xunta de Galicia.

8/06–12/06: Visiting Scholar, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, USA.

6/98–6/06: President, Universidade de Vigo.

4/04–6/06: President, Technical Education Committee, Consejo de Coordinación Universitaria.

6/02–6/06: President, Conferencia de Rectores de las universidades españolas (CRUE) European Higher Education Space Group.

7/98–12/04: President, Galician Industry-University Foundation.

6/02—6/03: Member, CRUE Board.
7/01—8/02: President, CRUE R&D Comision.
9/96—9/00: Member, (European) Cooperation on Science and Technology (COST) #254 action representing Spain.
4/97—6/98: Department Head, Communication Technologies Department.
8/95—12/95: Visiting Scholar, University of New Mexico.
4/91—6/95: Department Head, Communication Technologies Department.
1/90—12/94: Member, COST #229 action representing Spain.
2/90—6/90: Visiting Scholar, University of New Mexico.
5/88—2/90: Dean, School of Telecommunications, Universidade de Vigo.
01/87—09/87: Visiting Scholar, Telecommunication School, Universidad Politécnica de Madrid.

It is worth pointing out my contribution to the launching of two, nowadays nationally and internationally well respected, academic units at the University of Vigo: the Telecommunications School, in which I was part of the board of directors since the very first day of its activities back in 1985, and the Communication Technologies Department, nowadays split in two new Departments (Signal Theory and Communications and Telematics Engineering) with a Faculty number in excess of 50 Electrical Engineering Ph.Ds.

As far as the international projection is concerned, besides the presence in European projects and initiatives, I am particularly proud of my involvement in launching the ISTECON Consortium in 1990; as of today, ISTECON counts among its members more than 100 Universities from the US, Spain and the Americas, and some major IT industrial firms.

As President of the University of Vigo, I am particularly proud of the impulse given to the project of the new University Campus developed by the architect Enric Miralles. With an outstanding innovative component, this campus has received international (portrait of Global Architecture in 2004) as well as national recognition, Special Prize FAD 2004.

It is also worth mentioning the launching of the Scientific Park of the Galician Universities, and the agreement with the Ministerio de Ciencia y Tecnología to manage the funds awarded to the research teams in charge of studying the effects of the last oil spill in Galicia.

Last but not least, I enjoyed being the President of the CRUE Bologna Group (or should I say troupe) in charge of promoting the European Space in Spain. From 2001 to 2006, the collaboration with the members of the Group resulted in a number of articles, conferences, press contributions and reports, either collective or personal, which help to assess the enormous amount of work we put into this most satisfactory effort.

Teaching

Experience

Biostatistics
Calculus
Statistics
Linear Systems
Analog Signals and Systems
Discrete Time Signals and Systems
Digital Signal Processing
Spectral Analysis
Chaos and Fractals
Approximation

Research

Experience

Game and Decision Theory
Adaptive Algorithms
Spectral Analysis
Linear and non Linear Prediction
Robust Stability
Digital Signal Processing
Chaos and Fractals
Constructive Approximation
Statistical Learning
Education in the Information and Knowledge Society

Evaluation

Experience

Granada Campus of Excellence (GENIL), Advisory Board Member.
EUSKADI Research Prize, 2010, Member of the Jury.
Ikerbasque Recruitment Process, Mathematics and Engineering, 2009-2011.
ENQA Evaluation Team, AGAE Agency, 2008.
Studies and Diplomas Commission ACSUCYL, (2008-)
Commission for Faculty Promotion, Univ. de la República, Uruguay (2008-)
Quality Assessment Commission C.A. Catalunya, (2007-2010)
New Bachelor Programs, Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, President TIC section, 2006.
Postgraduate Programs, C.A. de Castilla y León (2006-)

Research Awards Committee, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, (2001-06)
 New Telecommunication Program at the Universidad de Granada (2001)
 Project evaluation for CICYT (Spanish NSF) (1992–2003)
 National TIC Research Program (1997–98)

Research

Project IP international

- *Infocanned*, IP until June 1998, ADAPT Program, 1997–00.
- *Cometas*, Coordinator Universidade de Vigo, ALFA Program, 1997-2000.
- *International Workshop on Intelligent Methods in Signal Processing and Communications*, EOARD Grant, 1996.
- *An Intelligent Vision System for Automatic Inspection of Alimentary Systems*, BRITE-EURAM Program, 1992–96.
- *Multicom 2000*, Contract with Northern Telecom, now NORTEL, 1994–95.
- *Unrestricted Grant*, Motorola Foundation, 1993–94.

Project IP national

- *Strategic Intelligence Recruitment Unit*, Fundación para o Fomento da Calidade Industrial e o Desenvolvemento Tecnolóxico, 2008.
- *Ciclo Cultura CONCIENCIA*, Coordinator, Consello da Cultura Galega, Science Understanding and Awareness Program, 2007.
- *Analysis of the Australian University System*, Minist. de Educ. y Ciencia, 2006.
- *TIC Galicia*, APLIDIG S.L. contract, 2000.
- *Evaluation and Development of a Cinemantropometric System*, Consejo Superior de Deportes de España (Spanish Sports Council), 1998–99.
- *Signal Processing in Telecommunications*, Red Temática, Foreign Affairs Office of Spain, 1997–99.
- *Discrete Signals and Systems*, R&D National Program, 1997–98.
- *Enhanced Resource Adaptable Network Document Exchange (RANDEX-2)*, Xunta de Galicia, 1997–99.
- *Multimedia Central Information Service*, Xunta de Galicia, 1997.
- *Resource Adaptable Network Document Exchange (RANDEX)*, Xunta de Galicia, 1995–96.
- *Receptors Architectures for Digital Mobile Communications*, Xunta de Galicia, 1994–95.
- *Wide-band Multimedia Terminal (TEMA)*, PLANBA, 1993–95.
- *Simulation of DSP Schemes*, National IT Research Program, 1992–95.

- *Design of a Demodulator for High Definition TV* Televés S.A. Project, 1992-93.
- *Implementation of Speech Codecs*, Xunta de Galicia, 1991-93.
- *Simulation and Analysis of Adaptive Techniques in point and multi-point digital communications* Telettra Project, 1991-92.
- *Advanced Information processing*, National IT Research Program, 1988-91.

PhD. Students

Major

Professor

Victoria Abreu, November-99, co-director with C. García Mateo (Universidade de Vigo), COIT award in Multimedia, 2001.

Nuria González, July-98; special award Universidade de Vigo.

José Luis Alba, June-96, co-director with D. Hush (University of New Mexico).

Fernando Pérez, June-93, co-director with C. Abdallah (University of New Mexico).

Professional

Service

Conference

Committees

- Keynote speaker, Conference of the European Association for Education in Electrical and Information Engineering, Valencia, 2009.
- Invited Speaker, Protection of Ecosystems International Conference, Venecia, 2003.
- Scientific Committee, European Signal Processing Conference, EUSIPCO02, Toulouse, 2002.
- Scientific Committee, COST #254 Workshop; Neuchatel, Switzerland, 1999.
- Scientific Committee, EUSIPCO98, Rhodes, Greece, 1998.
- Plenary Session Chairman, First European Signal Processing Conference on Signal Analysis and Prediction, ECSAP97; Prague, Check Republic, 1997.
- Co-chairman, Fourth Baiona Workshop on Intelligent Methods for Signal Processing and Communications, Baiona, Spain, 1996.
- Scientific Committee, EUSIPCO96, Trieste, Italy, 1996.
- Co-chairman, Third Baiona Workshop on Adaptive Systems, Intelligent Approaches, Massively Parallel Computing and Emergent Techniques for Signal Processing and Communications; Baiona, Spain, 1994.
- Scientific Committee, COST #229 Workshop; Ljubljana, Slovenia, 1994.

- Co-chairman, Second Baiona Workshop on Adaptive Methods and Emergent Techniques for Signal Processing and Communications; Baiona, Spain, 1993.
- Co-chairman, First Workshop on Scientific Simulation and its Applications; Vigo, Spain, 1993.
- Co-chairman, First Baiona Workshop on Adaptive Algorithms and Non Classical Schemes; Baiona, Spain, 1991.
- Scientific Committee, EUSIPCO90; Barcelona, Spain, 1990.
- Session Chairman, Detection and Estimation session, European Signal Processing Conference, EUSIPCO90, Barcelona, 1990.

Invited Talks

- Conference of the INNOVA-CESAL network, Estrategias de Formación para la Innovación y la Investigación, Lisboa, 2010.
- Jornadas ‘Els estudis d’enginyeria de telecomunicació a les portes de Bologna’, ETSE Telecomunicación, UPC, Barcelona, 2007.
- Annual Meeting of Southern Electrical and Computer Engineering Chairmen, Dallas-Fort Worth, USA, 2006.
- Primeira Conferencia Internacional sobre “A Fenda Dixital”, Silleda Spain, 2005.
- Encuentros Cátedra Unesco: Análisis de la LOU desde una perspectiva internacional comparada, Madrid, Spain 2004.
- V Meeting of Mathematical School Deans, Oviedo, Spain, 2004.
- XX Semana Galega de Filosofía, Pontevedra, Spain, April 2003.
- Iberoamerican Conference of rectors and international relation chairs, Santiago de Compostela, Spain, 2003.
- AQU Catalunya Workshops, Tarragona, Spain, 2003.
- Protection of Ecosystems International Conference, Venice, Italy, 2003.
- Real Academia das Ciencias de Galicia Meeting, Vila Real, Portugal, 2002.
- Research and Development Iberoamerican Summit, Albuquerque, NM, USA, 2001.
- Jornadas sobre Tutorías y Orientación, Universidad de Granada, Spain, 2001.
- Lingua e Cultura no Século XXI, Santiago de Compostela, Spain, 2001.

Professional Distinctions

- Honorary Member of the Galician Telecommunication Engineering Association, 1998.
- Emeritus Professor, Universidad Tecnológica Equinocial, Quito, Ecuador, 2000.

- Antón Losada Diéguez Research 2003 prize for the book “Tecnoloxías da Información e as Comunicacóns: unha visión desde Galicia”.
- First Gold Medal awarded by the “Consejos Sociales” of Spanish Universities, 2006.

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4. New Bachelor Diplomas: Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, Barcelona, Spain, 2007.
5. Higher Education Funding and Quality at OECD countries: Universitat de Barcelona, 2007.
6. The Australian Universities before the Bologna Process: Seminar at the Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane, Australia, 2006.
7. The new engineering diplomas: Parliament of Spain, Madrid, July 2005.
8. La universidad española ante el proceso de convergencia europea: Castilla La Mancha Parliament, Toledo, 2005.

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 10. The new universities within the European Higher Education Space (in Spanish): Instituto de Estudios Sociales y Políticos, A Coruña, 2004.
 11. The international projection of the European universities , Instituto Tecnológico de Monterrey, Monterrey, México, 2003.
 12. The role of the Quality Agencies in the Bologna Process, UIMP, Santander, July 2003.
 13. Information Technologies today , on the inauguration of the new Telecommunications school, Universidad de Granada, Granada, 2002.
 14. Quality in Higher Education , Seminar on University Education in Spain, Fundación Pedro Barrié de la Maza, A Coruña, 2002.
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 16. Educating in the information age, Universidad de la Mixteca, Oaxaca, México, 2001.
 17. Mathematics for the 21st century , Universidad de Valladolid, Spain, 2000.
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- Universidad de Alcalá de Henares, June 2005.
- Universidad de Málaga, July 2005.
- Universidad de Salamanca, September 2005.
- Universitat Politècnica de Valencia, October 2005.
- Universitat Ramon Llull, November 2005.
- Universidad del País Vasco, March 2006.

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■ Professional Experience

1995 – 1997	Freelance work on research projects
Since 11/1997	Deputy Managing Director, Austrian Fachhochschulrat (FHR)
Since 11/2005	Managing Director, Austrian FHR
Since 2002	Member of the Austrian BFUG
2005 – 2006	Member of ECA management group
9/2005 – 9/2010	Member of the ENQA Board
Since 3/2008	Member of the University Council of the University of Applied Sciences Dortmund

■ Education

1980 - 1985	VET College
1986 – 1993	Diploma in Education Science and Philosophy (1993)
1993 – 1996	Dr. phil. in Education Science (1996)

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name(s) / Surname(s): **MARÍA CRISTINA / PASTOR VALCÁRCEL**

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EDUCATION

- 2005 **Degree in Law**, currently in 5th year. Miguel Hernández University of Elche.
- 2007 Diploma in University Expert of professional skills and competences. Miguel Hernández University.
Completed blocks: Managing Priorities, Time Management, Effective Communication, Quality Management, Leadership, Outdoor Training.
- 2010 **Degree in Actuarial and Financial Sciences**, Miguel Hernández University of Elche.

TRAINING

- 2009 **Internship: J & A Garrigues S.L.** (195 hours).
Main activities and responsibilities: supporting procedural team in the drafting of pleadings.
Academic tutor: José María Gómez Gras, Hon. Vice-rector for Economic Affairs, Employment and Enterprise Relationship.
- 2009 Conference *"The answer to the economic crisis: principles and values"* (20 hours). Miguel Hernández University of Elche.
- 2008 Summer School: *"Spain to the challenges of Globalization"* (30 hours). Economic and legal aspects and responses to crisis situations in a globalized world. Complutense University of Madrid.
- 2006 **Practical Training for Economic Management Company.** (120 hours). Miguel Hernández University.
- 2006 Conference: Democratic Response to Terrorism (20 hours).

Miguel Hernández University.

2005 Conference: Democratic Response to Terrorism (20 hours).
Miguel Hernández University.

LANGUAGES

Spanish Mother tongue

Catalan Mother tongue

English C1 - Proficient user

([Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#))

First Certificate in English. University of Cambridge. ESOL Examinations (2004).

Linguistic experience for a year in Crawley, West Sussex, England (UK).

COMPUTER SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

Competent with most Microsoft Office programmes.

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

Social skills and competences: I acquired these skills through my experience in student representation, which are essential for teamwork, social skills and communication, etc.

Organisational skills and competences: closely related to social skills and competences, I acquired them through my experience in student representation which has undoubtedly fostered the development of organizational and leadership skills.

ACTIVITIES IN ADDITION TO THOSE ALREADY MENTIONED

- Academic year 2010/11
- Chairperson of the Miguel Hernandez University Students' Union.
 - Chairperson of the Faculty of Social Sciences Students' Union, Miguel Hernández University, Elche.
 - Student representative at the Department Governing Council.
 - Class representative (4th year, Degree in Actuarial and Financial Sciences).
 - Member of Miguel Hernández University Senate.
 - Member of the Fellowship Selection Panel
 - Attendance to the 5th European Quality Assurance Forum hosted by the University Claude Bernard Lyon, France, on 18th to 20th of November 2010. As well made a paper presentation on "Five years of student participation in quality assurance in Spain", with her colleague and co-author of the paper, Fernando Miguel Galán Palomares, during the Working Group Session Ia.2 of the 5th EQAF. On another hand, this paper has been selected by the EQAF Steering Committee to be included in the post forum publication.
 - Attendance to the MAP-ESG workshop, Mainz, on 4th to 6th of February 2011: the members of the ESU Students Experts' Pool attended a workshop in Mainz, Germany, which is a phase of a research Project entitled MAP-

-ESG. The Project is a leading European effort on the side of stakeholders European Students' Union (ESU), European University Association (EUA), European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education (ENQA) and European Association of Institutions in Higher Education (EURASHE) to evaluate the impact and implementation of the European Standards and Guidelines in European Higher Education Area (ESG) which the ministers responsible for higher education adopted at a Bologna Process Ministerial Conference in 2005 Bergen.

- Attendance to the training workshop for experts on agency reviews organised by the European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education (ENQA), on 10th to 11th of February 2011 in Helsinki, Finland: the training sessions aim at providing experts with, among others, the necessary knowledge and guidance on the interpretation of the ENQA membership criteria and thereby, the Standards and Guidelines for Quality Assurance in the European Higher Education Area (ESG).
- Attendance to the Bologna Seminar on the European Dimension of Quality Assurance organized by The German Accreditation Council and The German Rectors' Conference in association with ENQA, on 14th of March 2011, Berlin, Germany.

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| Academic
year
2009/10 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Vice-chairperson of the Miguel Hernández University Students' Union, for academic organization and quality. - Chairperson of the Faculty of Social Sciences Students' Union, Miguel Hernández University, Elche. - Student representative at the Department Governing Council. - Class representative (5th year, Degree in Law). - Member of Miguel Hernández University Senate. - Member of the Fellowship Selection Panel - Participation as speaker in the workshop session <i>"The Internal Quality Assurance System: student participation in following the teaching"</i>, at "ANECA meetings on quality in Higher Education 2009: The participation of students in the processes of quality assessment". Catholic University of Murcia. 14th and 15th of May 2009. - Participation as speaker in the trainings "The evaluation of the design of a degree curricula: practical case" and "The quality assurance in the implementation of the teachings. The student participation", at "ANECA meetings on quality in Higher Education 2009: The participation of students in the processes of quality assessment". University of La Rioja. 21st and 22nd of May 2009. - Participation as speaker in the roundtable "Bologna Debate", at the summer school "Bologna: Challenges of the European Higher Education", Miguel Hernández University. Almoradí, 14th and 15th of September 2009. - Participation as speaker in the roundtable "Students in quality policies", at the 3rd State Meeting of Student Representatives from Public Universities. CREUP (Coordinator for Public University Representatives). Valencia, from 22nd to 24th April 2010. - Participation as speaker in the roundtable "Students as main characters of higher education: analysis of the efficiency of their academic performances", |
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at the 2nd School of University Politics “Fernando de los Ríos” , International Menéndez Pelayo University, Santander, from 7th to 9th July, sponsorship of Unesco Professorship of University Politics.

- Participation as speaker in the roundtable “Strengths and weaknesses of the evaluation process: improvement proposals”, at the summer school, “Evaluation, follow-up and accreditation: past, present and future”, International Menéndez Pelayo University, Santander 8th and 9th July 2010, sponsorship of ANECA and Directorate General of Universities (MEC).
- Participation as speaker in the roundtable “Follow-up of degrees and masters’ degrees from the student’s point of view”, at the summer school “Establishment of adapted degrees to EEES at the Polytechnic University of Cartagena”, Polytechnic University of Cartagena, Cartagena from 12th to 14th July 2010.
- Participation as speaker in the roundtable “Students in quality policies”, at the summer school “Establishment of the European Area of Higher Education (EEES). Students as main characters”, Polytechnic University of Valencia, Alcoy, 19th July 2010.

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2008/09 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Participation as speaker in the roundtable “The transition and coexistence between existing and new degrees”, at the Inter-University Forum of Students and EHEA, University of Alicante. 15th and 16th May 2008. - Participation as speaker in the roundtable “Comprehensive integration programmes in the framework of the EHEA”, at “ANECA meetings on quality in Higher Education 2008: Student Reception and Orientation Systems”. UNED (National University of Long Distance Education). Pamplona, 25th and 26th September 2008. |
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year
2007/08 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General Secretary of the Miguel Hernández University Students’ Union. - Chairperson of the Faculty of Social Sciences Students’ Union, Miguel Hernández University, Elche. - Member of Miguel Hernández University Senate. - Member of Miguel Hernández University’ Committee for academic organization. |
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

During my academic career I also interested myself in issues related with the quality and the search of excellence.

- Collaboration with the Branch of Management and Control of the Quality Assurance Miguel Hernández University of Elche in the performance of the surveys on the Quality of the Teaching and the University Services, among students of the Faculty of social and Legal Sciences of Elche, from my first academic year.
- Collaboration in the process of acquisition of a prize from the Ministry of Public Administrations, contributing with the students ‘vision.

- Attendance to the course “The role of students in the definition of Quality Assurance Systems”, Summer School: The internal quality assurance of universities: a social responsibility. Menéndez Pelayo International University. Santander. 2008
- Attendance to the course “The participation of students in the evaluation of the quality”, International Menéndez Pelayo University, Santander 2nd and 3rd July 2007, sponsorship of ANECA and Directorate General of Universities (MEC).
- Collaboration in the Institutional Evaluation Programme 2007 as observer member of the external evaluation committee, contributing with the vision of the student: Evaluation of the degree of Law in the Universities of Murcia and Zaragoza.
- Member of the Social and Legal Sciences Committee for verification of recognized degree programme of the National Agency of the Quality and Accreditation Assurance(ANECA). Evaluations carried out within the Programme “Verifica” 2008, with which I currently still collaborate.
- Attendance to the 12th Forum ANECA “References in the quality in the higher education, Is an agreement necessary? Held at the Hotel Holiday Inn of Madrid (Plaza Carlos Trías Bertrán), on 6th May 2009.
- Attendance to the course “The internationalization of the evaluation of universities view by experts”, International Menéndez Pelayo University, Santander from 6th to 8th July 2009, sponsorship of ANECA and Directorate General of Universities (MEC) “.
- Attendance to the course “The day after Bologna”, University Jaume I of Castellón, Benicàssim from 14th to 16th July 2009, sponsorship of INCREA Professorship of Innovation, Creativity and Learning and UNESCO Professorship of Management and University Politics.

CURRICULUM VITAE

1. PERSONAL DATA

SURNAME: Pascual
FIRST NAME: Nieves
FACULTY: ARTS

PRESENT RANK: Associate Professor. Day of granting tenure at the University of Jaén:
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2. POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION

Universidad Complutense de Madrid, PhD, American Literature, 1989-1994.
Universidad de Granada, B.A., English Philology, 1984- 1989.
Universidad de Granada, B.A., Translation and Interpretation School, 1985-1990.

Title of Ph.D. Dissertation and Name of Supervisor: “El otro oficio de los académicos: La novela universitaria anglo-norteamericana.” Supervisor: Félix Martín Gutiérrez

EMPLOYMENT RECORD

Associate Professor of English, Universidad de Jaén, 1999-the present.
Assistant Professor of English, Universidad de Jaén, 1995-99.
Assistant Professor of English, Escuela de Estudios Superiores Sociales y Jurídicos “Ramón Carande,” 1994-95.
Assistant Professor of English, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, 1992-93.

TEACHING

(a) Courses taught at the Universidad de Jaen

Advanced English Grammar and Composition
English for Specific Purposes
Senior American Literature Courses
Modernist American Literature
American Theater
Modern and Contemporary American Women’s Texts
Theories of Hybridism and Métissage
North-American Popular Culture
Ph.D. and M.A. Courses on: Detective Novels; Feminism; Canadian Literature in the 1960’s and 70’s; American Jewish Writing; Postcolonial Theory; Native Canadian Literatures.

(b) Graduate Students supervised

Student Name	Program Type	Year (Start/Finish)
Luminita Ion	M.A. Thesis	2008-2010

Borja Ojeda	M.A. Thesis	2008-2010
Viktoria Sadova	M.A. Thesis	2007-2009 (preparing Ph.D.)
Carlos Javier Madrid Jurado	Ph.D.	2000-2004
José María de la Torre López	M.A. Thesis	2001-2003
Teresa García Torres	M.A. Thesis	2000-2002

PUBLICATIONS RECORD

Books

(a) Authored

Metaphors of Incorporeality in Late Twentieth Century American Literature: Hunger Temptations. N.Y.: Edwin Mellen Press. Forthcoming.

A Critical Study of Female Culinary Detective Stories: Murder by Cookbook. N.Y.: Edwin Mellen Press, 2009.

Reviews in *Food & Foodways* and *Asparkia*. Forthcoming.

Co-author. *La otra literatura en lengua inglesa: una alternativa crítica.* Universidad de Jaén, 1998

El otro oficio de los académicos. La novela académica anglo-americana. Universidad de Jaén, 1997.

(b) Edited

Co-editor. *Stories Through Stories, Theories Through Stories: Native American Storytelling and Critique.* Michigan State UP, 2009.

Co-editor. *Feeling in Others: Essays on Empathy and Suffering in Modern Culture.* Heidelberg: Lit Verlag, 2008.

Reviewed in *Revista Canaria de Estudios Ingleses* 58 (2009): 154-56.

Co-editor. *Masculinities, Femininities and the Power of Hybrid in U.S. Narratives: Essays on Gender Borders.* Carl Winter, 2007.

Reviewed in: *Arbeiten aus Anglistik und Amerikanistik* 33 (2008): 155-59.

Ed. *Witnesses to Pain: Essays on the Translation of Pain into Art.* Bern: Peter Lang, 2005.

Cited in "'Civil War Inside my Body.' Two Narratives of Dying in Contemporary Anglophone Film." Marta Fernández-Morales. *Miscelánea* 36 (2007): 39.

Cited in "Illness, Genre, and Gender in Contemporary Television Fiction: Representations of Female Cancer in *Sex in the City* and *Desperate Housewives*." Marta Fernández-Morales. *Women's Studies: An Inter-disciplinary Journal* 38.6 (2009): 670-91.

Co-editor. *James Joyce: Límites de lo diáfano.* Universidad de Jaén, 1998.

Reviewed in *James Joyce Literary Supplement* 14.2 (Fall 2000): 4.

Refereed Articles

1. "Y cuando la arquitectura no alimenta." *ARV* 2/3 (2005): 18-19.

2. "Writing Pain as an Act of Self-Injury." *Revista Canaria de Estudios Ingleses* 48 (2004): 205-22.

3. "Fasting for a Vision: The Unorthodox Epiphanies of Mary E. Wilkins Freeman." *New Contemplative Review*. 2004. <http://www.contemplative-review.com>.
4. "Hunger as a Prosthetic Skin in Tsitsi Dangarembga's *Nervous Conditions*." *Atlantic Literary Review* 4.4 (October-December 2003): 96-110.
5. "Starving for Hunger: The Fiction of Anzia Yezierska." *Mosaic* 36.1 (2003): 147-60.
6. "Three Canadian Native Women Autobiographies: From the Synecdoche of the Communal to the Metonymy of the Single Subject." *The Grove* 9 (2002): 139-50.
7. "Food in the Writings of Medieval Women: The Lasting Pleasures of Prolonged Fasting." *The Grove* 8 (2001): 231-42.
8. "Depathologizing Anorexia: The Risks of Life Narratives." *Style* 35.2 (Summer 2001): 341-53.
9. "Hunger and Melancholia: from Jenefer Shute to Rigoberta Menchú". *Journal of Intercultural Studies* 21.3 (2000): 271-82.
10. "Academic Women in Fiction" *The Grove* 5 (1998): 117-34.
11. "Canadian Native Theatre: Humor, Magic and Reality". *Revista Canaria de Estudios Ingleses* 35 (nov. 1997): 119-34.
12. "The Literary Canon and the Truth: What if Shakespeare does not Compensate for a Lifetime's Rereadings?" *Francisco Manzaneda Oneto. In Memoriam* (1997): 589-602.
13. "The Anxiety of Influence in the Academic Novel: A Trap for Fools and Small World" *The Grove: Working Papers on English Studies* (1996): 131-46.
14. "Innovación narrativa y retórica de la repetición en *Nice Work* de David Lodge." *Revista Canaria de Estudios Ingleses* 21 (nov 1990): 265-75.

Chapters

1. "Katherine V. Forrest y la heterotopía lésbica". *Las damas negras: novela policíaca escrita por mujeres*. Madrid: Fundamentos. March 2011.
2. "Indians in Sunday Clothes." *Stories Through Stories, Theories Through Stories: Native American Storytelling and Critique*. Michigan State UP.
3. "No puedo ocuparme del asesino si me preocupo por no salir del armario': misterios y lesbianas." *Que sus faldas son ciclones: Representación literaria contemporánea del lesbianismo en lengua inglesa*. Madrid: Egales, 2008. 203-16.
4. "Anorexia y bulimia: normas hegemónicas. *Sites of Female Terror/En torno a la mujer y el terror*. Navarra: Aranzadi, 2008. 341-56.
5. "The Anorexic Cyborg." *Masculinities, Femininities and the Power of Hybrid in U.S. Narratives*. 2008. 261-76.
6. Co-author. "Introduction: Fighting Limits" *Masculinities, Femininities and the Power of Hybrid in U.S. Narratives*. 2008. 3-18.
7. "The Architecture of Illness." *Feeling in Others*. 2008. 131-43.

8. "Introduction." *Feeling in Others*. 2008. 1-14.
9. "The Colors of Grief in Cuba." *Women in Dialogue: (M)uses of Culture*. Newcastle: Cambridge Scholars Press. 2008. 99-116.
10. "Sky Lee's *Disappearing Moon Cafe*: A Testimony of Incorporation." *Asian Gothic: A Critical Reader*. Ed. Andrew Hock Soon Ng. MacFarland Publishers. 2008.
11. "Irresponsible Anorexia: The Ethics of Eavan Boland's *Famine*." *Hungry Words. Images of Famine in the Irish Canon*. Ed. George Cusack and Sarah Goss. Dublin: Irish UP, 2006. 263-82.
12. "Photographs as Prostheses." *Witness to Pain*, 2005. 55-74.
13. "Introduction." *Witness to Pain*, 2005. 7-11.
14. Co-authored. "Espacios habitables." *Rossana Zaera. Habitaciones sin número*. Universidad de Jaén, 2005. 23-26.
15. Co-authored. "Education for Immigrants in Andalucía: A Special Form of Interculturality." *Internationalization, Cultural Difference and Migration: Challenges and Perspectives*. Lit Verlag, 2005. 71-87.
16. "Narrativa de mujeres sureñas." *Literatura Norteamericana*. Ed. José Antonio Gurpegui and Isabel Durán. Liceus, 2004. Proyecto E-Excellence. <http://www.liceus.com/cgi-bin/aco/lit/02/115asp>.
17. "Dos bocados de cardenal: Cristina García y Ana Menéndez." *Guayaba Sweet. Literatura cubana en EEUU*. Cádiz: Advana Vieja, 2003.
18. "Food, Rites, Native Women, and Literature." *Myth and Ritual in African American and Native American Literatures*. Ed. Laura Alonsop Gallo and Mar Gallego Durán. Universidad de Huelva, 2001. 123-38.
19. "Exile and Alienation in *Slash* by Jeannette Armstrong and Marian Engel's 'The Tattooed Woman'." *Diaspora and Exile*. Eds. Lucía Mora González, Bernhard Dietz & Asunción Sánchez Villalón. Cuenca: Colección Estudios, 2001. 203-29.
20. "Autobiographies in La Frontera: Gloria Anzaldúa." *New Exoticisms. Changing Patterns in the Construction of Otherness*. Amsterdam/Atlanta, GA: Rodopi, 2000. 239-47.
21. "Linguistic Terrorism at the Juncture of Cultures: Code-Switching in U.S. Latina Self-Narratives." *English Literature and "Other" Languages*. Ed. Marius Buning & Ton Hoenselaars. Free University of Amsterdam: Peter Lang, 1999. 269-282.
22. "Food is Language: Fasting in *A Portrait of the Artist* and *Other Tales*." *James Joyce: límites de lo diáfano*. Ed. Carmelo Medina et al. Universidad de Jaén. 1998: 99-104.
23. "Apuntes sobre feminismo, literatura y deconstrucción". *La mujer en el 2000*. Ed. María Antonia Bel Bravo. Universidad de Jaén. 1998: 173-179.

Interviews

“Native American Resonances: An Interview with Gordon Henry.” *Voces de América*. Ed. Laura Alonso Gallo & Fabio Murrieta. Cádiz: Aduana Vieja, 2004. 223-50.

“Interviewing Gene H. Bell-Villada” *The Grove: Working Papers on English Studies*, 1996: 167-174.

Reviews

Eva Darias Beautell & M^a Jesús Hernández Lorena, eds. *Canon Disorders: Gendered Perspectives on Literature and Film in Canada and the United States*. *Atlantis: Journal of the Spanish Association of Anglo-American Studies* 30.2 (December 2008): 159-64.

Conference Proceedings

1. “Postcoloniality and Bulimia.” *Actas del I Congreso Internacional de la UJA sobre Mujeres y Literaturas en el siglo XX*. Co-editor. Universidad de Jaén, 2003. CD-ROM.

2. “La anorexia: Una enfermedad de transmisión textual.” *Violencia y género. Actas del Congreso Interdisciplinar sobre violencia y género*. Eds. M^a Teresa Beltrán López, M^a José Jiménez Tomé & Eva M^a Gil Benítez. Universidad de Málaga, 2003. 169-75.

3. “Traducciones y traiciones: Tres textos de la literatura chicana.” *Uso del inglés en el aula, lengua, literatura y traducción. IV Jornadas de Estudios Ingleses*. Universidad de Jaén, 2002. 129-36.

4. “Through James Rosenquist and Larry Rivers to the Short Stories of Donald Barthelme: Notes on pop Art and Postmodernism.” *Proceedings of the First International Conference on English Studies: Past, Present and Future*. Universidad de Almería, 2001. CD-ROM.

5. “Hunger in the Fiction of Anzia Yezierska.” *Actas 25º Congreso AEDEAN*. Granada 2001. CD-ROM.

6. “Anorexia, Language, and the Ideology of Hunger in Recent North-American Autobiographies.” *Proceedings of the 25th International Conference of AEDEAN. Electronic Publication*. Ciudad Real, 2001.

7. “Feminismo, Freud y Freeman: La mujer a finales del siglo XIX en Norte-América.” *Revisión del Canon Literario Norteamericano*. Universidad Castilla-La Mancha, 2000. 245-52.

8. “Thomas King: A Trickster Healing through Humor.” *Actas del III Congreso de la Sociedad Española para el Estudio de los Estados Unidos (SAAS): Fin de Siglo: Crisis y Nuevos Principios/ Century Ends, Crises and New Beginnings*. Eds. M^a José Álvarez Maurín et al. León: Universidad de León, 1999. 299-305.

9. “Joyce’s *Dubliners* as Postmodern Anti-Detective Stories.” *Actas del XXI Congreso Internacional de AEDEAN*. Universidad de Sevilla, 1999: 365-70.

10. “The Literary Canon: You Are What You Read and You Read What you Are.” *Estudios de Literatura en Lengua Inglesa del s. XX (4)*. Universidad de Valladolid, 1998. 233-40.

11. “Artistic Discourse as Envisioned by Northrop Frye and Edward Said.” *El Discurso Artístico en Oriente y Occidente: Semejanzas y Contrastes*. Vol. 2. Universidad de Oviedo, 1997. 343-59.

12. "New Autobiographical Writings: Proposals for New Identities." *Actas de las II Jornadas de Estudios Ingleses*, 1997. 171-77.
13. "The Imagined Indian as Imaged in Four Spanish Advertisements." Co-authored. *Proceedings of the XXth International AEDEAN Conference*. Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona, 1997. 551-55.
14. "Weaving Patterns in Native American Autobiographies." *La interdisciplinariedad en el Discurso Artístico: ¿Realidad o Utopía?* Universidad de Oviedo, 1997. 183-98.
15. "Charges Against Anne Cameron's *Daughters of Copper Woman*: Disregard for Male Ethnographic Evidence." *Proceedings of the XIXth International Conference of AEDEAN*. Universidad de Vigo, 1996. 449-53.
16. "An 'Authorless' Text: The Usefulness of Mythological Structures in Leslie Marmon Silko's *Ceremony*." *Many Sundri Wits Gathered Together*. Universidade da Coruña, 19906. 261-67.
17. "The Survivors of the 'Good Old Days': American Indian Grandmothers and the Recording of their Oral (Hi)stories." *Proceedings of the XVIIIth International Conference of AEDEAN*. Universidad de Alcalá de Henares, 1994. 529-34.
18. "*Murder in the English Department* by Valerie Miner: An Exercise in Gender Reconstruction." *Estudios de Mujer en el Ámbito de los Países de Habla Inglesa*. Universidad Complutense de Madrid, 1994. 325-32.
19. "Murder in Academe: The Feminist Professor as Detective." *Investigaciones Filológicas Anglo-Norteamericanas. Actas del I Congreso de Lengua y Literatura Norte-Americana*. Ediciones de la Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha, 1994. 491-94.

SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

(a) Research or equivalent grants obtained competitively

Granting Agency	Subject	Place	Allowance	Year
Consejería de Innovación y Ciencia. Junta de Andalucía	Food Icons in Chican@ Literature	University of Texas at El Paso	3,000€	July 1-August 31, 2009
Universidad de Jaén	Affect and Literature	University of British Columbia	1,485€	June 2006
Ministerio de Educación, Cultura y Deporte	Food in Cuban American Literature	Florida International University	11,500€	August 1-October 31, 2004
Canadian Embassy Grant	Canadian Gothic.	University of British Columbia	2,600 Can \$	August 2002
Ministerio de Educación y Cultura	Women and Food in North American Literature	Michigan State University	700,000 ptas	October 1-December 31, 1999
Ministerio de	Women and	University of	700,000 ptas	January 1-March

Educación y Cultura	Food in North American Literature	British Columbia		31, 2000
Programa de Cooperación Universitaria	Teaching	Universidad Metropolitana de Ciencias de la Educación (Santiago de Chile) & Universidad Internacional San Cristóbal de Huamanga (Peru).	250,000 ptas.	November 26-December 13, 1997
Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores de Canadá	Post-Colonial Literature	University of Toronto	3,800 Can \$.	August 17-September 21, 1997
John F. Kennedy Institute for North American Studies	North American Indian Literatures	Freie Universitat Berlin	2,200 DM.	July 15-August 15, 1995
Government of Canada Awards	Native Canadian Women Writers	University of Toronto	11,100 Can \$+ travel expenses.	1993-1994
Universidad Internacional Menéndez y Pelayo	Seminar: "Del Texto al Lector: Teorías y Prácticas de la RE."	Santander	Tuition costs + accommodation expenses	August 17-21, 1992
Universidad Internacional Menéndez y Pelayo	Seminar: "Feminismo, Filosofía y Ciencia."	Valencia	Tuition costs + accommodation expenses	June 29-July 3, 1992
Universidad Complutense de Madrid	Seminar: "Narrativa Hispánica."	Almeria	Tuition costs + accommodation expenses.	July 8-12, 1991
Universidad Complutense de Madrid	Pre-doctoral Fellowship	Madrid	84,000 ptas per month	1990-93
Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores	Seminar: "Ireland: People and Traditions."	Dublin	70,000 ptas.	July 5-21, 1989

(b)Research projects

"Revisión crítica y pedagógica de la literatura norteamericana en el nuevo plan de estudios."
Dirección General de Investigación Científica y Técnica del Ministerio de Educación y Ciencia. Research Member. 1993-1996.

“Internationalization, Cultural Difference, and Migration: Developing a Curriculum for Teacher Education.” Ref. C8013. Project within the EC/Canada Cooperation Program in Higher Education and Training. Research Member. 2003-2006. 150,000 Euros.

“Reescritura de la Memoria en la Literatura Europea Actual.” Consejería de Innovación y Ciencia. Junta de Andalucía. Research Member. 2010-2013. 107,923 Euros.

“El concepto de la Huella: Delimitación, Estudio y Aplicación a la Literatura Reciente en Lengua Inglesa.” Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación. Research Member. 2010-2012. 70,000 Euros.

“De boca en boca: Comida y Transculturación en la Literatura Latina de finales del siglo XX (1960-2007).” Consejerías de Innovación y Ciencia. Junta de Andalucía. Director. 2009-2012. 216,673 Euros.

Proyecto de Innovación Docente: “Elaboración de materiales didácticos y estrategias de apoyo para la enseñanza de la literatura norteamericana”. Secretariado de Innovación Docente y Formación del Profesorado de la Universidad de Jaén. 1000 E. 2010-2012.

(c)Invited Presentations

1. “Poe, a writer of many parts.” Universidad de Jaén. December 17, 2009.

2. “Methodology of Research in Literary Studies.” Pavol Safarik University, Kosice, Slovakia. March 14-30, 2009. 24 lessons for M.A. students of the Department of British and US Studies.

3. “Food in the Detective Genre: From Holmes to Mrs Porter.” Pavol Safarik University, Kosice, Slovakia. March 17, 2009.

4. “Contemporary Detectives and Culinary Mysteries.” Jornadas de Literatura Contemporánea en Lengua Inglesa. Universidad de La Laguna. October 6-9, 2008.

5. “Spaces and Affects: On Habitable Writings.” Within the course: “Urban Spaces and Cultural Expressions.” Universidad de las Islas Baleares, Spain. July 1-4, 2008.

6. “17th c British Literature.” Pavol Josef Safarik University, Kosice, Slovakia. April 13-30, 2008. 12 sessions for undergraduate and postgraduate students in the Department of British and US Studies.

7. “The Bulimic Condition.” II International Conference on Literature and Identity. Universidad de Jaén. March 16, 2007.

8. “El espacio del cuerpo.” VII Jornadas de Estudios de la Mujer: “Sites of Female Terror.” Universidad Complutense de Madrid. March 12-14, 2007.

9. “Writing Hunger: Literature, Affect, Transmission.” Course: Spanish 405-951 (Topics in Peninsular & Latin-American Culture) cross-listed with Spanish 505-951 (graduate seminar in Peninsular & Latin-American culture). University of British Columbia, Vancouver. July 9-July 27, 2007.

10. “Theories of Native Imposture.” Within the course: “XVI Curso Superior de Estudios Canadienses.” Universidad de La Laguna. December 11-13, 2006.

11. "Dolor y escritura en el paisaje nativo/canadiense." Within the course: "Transgredir y normalizar: Innovaciones, Antologías y Asimilación cultural." Universidad de La Laguna. December 11-13, 2006.
12. "The Architecture of Hunger." 1st International Women's Cultural Studies Seminar. Ege University, Turkey. June 21-23, 2006.
13. "La piel del hambre: mujer y literatura." Universidad de Jaén. September 6, 2005.
14. "Food Disorders in Cuban-American Literature." Florida International University. October 28, 2004.
15. "Interculturalization, Cultural Difference, and Migration: Developing a Curriculum for Teacher Education." International Conference: "Transformation in Society as a Form of Social Change." University of Magdeburg, Germany. May 14-16, 2004.
16. "Bodies that Defy Norms: Representations of Pain." University of Leeds. February 12, 2003.
17. "La (Im)postura postmodernista desde el (des)orden 'Beatnik.'" San Lorenzo de El Escorial, Madrid. July 21-25, 2003.
18. "La construcció del cos des la malaltia de l'anorèxia." Jornades d'investigació feminista. Universitat Jaume I, Castellón. May 9, 2001.
19. "Un Idioma, mil novelas: Narrativa contemporánea en lengua inglesa." San Lorenzo de El Escorial, Madrid. July, 19, 2000.
20. "Hunger as Ideology in Rigoberta Menchú's Testimonial Narrative and Jenefer Shute's Autobiographical Account." Department of French, Hispanic and Italian Studies. The University of British Columbia, Vancouver. March 15, 2000.
21. "Starvation and Writing: The Fiction of Anzia Yezierska." Centre for Research in Women's Studies and Gender Relations. The University of British Columbia, Vancouver. January 26, 2000.
22. "Food, Rites, Native Women and Literature." International Symposium: "'And He Only Had the Words of a Song': Myth and Ritual in Native American and African American Literatures." Universidad de Huelva. May 6-7, 1999.
23. "Native Canadian Literature in the 20th Century." International Conference: "Últimas Tendencias de la Crítica Literaria Norteamericana." Universidad de Huelva. November 7, 1997.
24. "A Lesbian Reconstruction of American Indian Myths: Beth Brant's *Mohawk Trail* and *Food & Spirits*." II Jornadas de Estudios Canadienses. Universidad de Alcalá de Henares. March 1-3, 1995.

(d)Conference Participation and Organization

"Domesticated Cosmopolitans: The Reception of English Canadian Writers in Spain." Asociación Española de Estudios Anglonorteamericanos. 11-13 November, 2010. Almería.

1. *Convenor of S. 48. "Food Cultures in Europe: Representations and Differences". Title of paper: Translating Foods: The Case of Spanish Grand Cuisiniers." ESSE 10th International Conference. University of Torino. 24-28 August 2010.*

**“Home Cooking and Men: What is Bringing Chicanos into the Kitchen?”
Association for the Study of Food and Society Conference. Indiana University,
Bloomington. 2-5 June, 2010.**

1. Organizing Committee of 1as Jornadas Andaluzas de Innovación Docente Universitaria. Universidad de Córdoba. December 2-3, 2009.
2. “Food, Hunger and Gender in Latina/Chicana Writing in the US.” Round-table. XXXIII AEDEAN (Spanish Association for Anglo and North American Studies) Conference. Universidad de Cádiz. November 12-14, 2009.
3. Guest/participant 6th Annual ENQA (European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education). Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, Barcelona. September 28-29, 2009.
4. Guest/participant in the seminar “Internal Quality-Facing Common Challenges” co-organized by ENQA and the Accreditation Organization of the Netherlands and Flanders (NVAO). The Hague. June 15-16, 2009.
5. “Across Border Regions/Across Body Borders.” Conference on Culture, Language and Literature Across Border Regions. Pavol Josef Safarik University, Kosice, Slovakia. April 28-29, 2008.
6. “Affecting Indianness or the Indian Affect.” European Society for the Study of English Conference (ESSE). Co-organizer of panel S. 47. “Emergent Minds: Thinking with Feeling.” August 22-26, 2008.
7. “Spaces of Hunger.” ESSE Conference. University of London. Co-organizer of panel S33: “Literature and Medicine.” August 29-September 1, 2006.
8. “North American Hybrid Literatures: From Canonical Subversions to Transgendered Realities.” Round table. 29th AEDEAN Conference. Universidad de Jaén. December 15-17, 2005.
9. Director of Organizing Committee of 7^o Congreso Internacional de la Asociación Española de Estudios Norteamericanos (SAAS: Spanish Association of North-American Studies). Universidad de Jaén. March 16-18, 2005.
10. “Representations of Gendered Pain in Contemporary British Writing.” Round table. XXVIII Congreso Internacional AEDEAN. Universidad de Valencia. December 16-18, 2004.
11. “Sky Lee’s *Disappearing Moon Café*: Negotiating Chinese Canadian Identity through Gothic Structures.” 7th ESSE Conference. Universidad de Zaragoza. September 8-12, 2004.
12. “Texts, Images and Prostheses.” 7th ESSE Conference. Universidad de Zaragoza. September 8-12, 2004. Co-convenor of the seminar: “Testimonies of Disability.”
13. “Eavan Boland’s *Famine*.” XV Encuentros de la Asociación Española James Joyce. Universidad de Almería. April 14-17, 2004.
14. “The Evocation of Pain in American Culture.” Co-convenor of Workshop 23. European Association for American Studies (EAAS) Conference: “America in the Course of Human Events: Representations and Interpretations.” Charles University, Prague. April 2-5, 2004.
15. “Inmigración.” Organizer of round table. Universidad de Jaén. May 14, 2003.

16. "Anorexia." Organizer and presenter of round table. Universidad de Jaén. May 7, 2003.
17. "The Problematics of American Life Narratives." Co-organizer of panel. VI SAAS Conference. Universidad de Vitoria. April 9-11, 2003.
18. "Traducciones de dolor y sufrimiento, ¿una forma de terapia?" Workshop. V Jornadas de Estudios Ingleses: "A World of English, a World of Translation." Universidad de Jaén. November 27-30, 2002.
19. "Traducción y Literatura." Round table. V Jornadas de Estudios Ingleses: "A World of English, a World of Translation." Universidad de Jaén. November 27-30, 2002.
20. "Morals and Bodies in Zola's Nana." 11th International Conference on Emile Zola and Naturalism. AIZEN (International Association for Multidisciplinary Approaches and Comparative Studies related to Emile Zola). Universidad de Jaén. June 13-15, 2002.
21. "Género y fronteras." Round table.- Universidad de Jaén. May 31, 2002.
22. "To the Sublime through Fasting." XIII Encuentros de la Asociación Española James Joyce. Universidad de Huelva. Abril 3-6, 2002.
23. "The Other as Hunger." European Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (EACLALS). Triennial Conference. University of Copenhagen. March 21-27, 2002.
24. "Mujeres y metáforas de sufrimiento." Congreso Interdisciplinar sobre Educación y Género. Universidad de Málaga. March 20-22, 2002.
25. Director of I Congreso Internacional de la Universidad de Jaén sobre Mujeres y Literaturas en el Siglo XX. March 7-10, 2002.
26. "Hunger in the Fiction of Anzia Yezierska." XXV Congreso Internacional de AEDEAN. Universidad de Granada. December 13-15, 2001.
27. "Greedy or Incontinent? The Prolivity of Modernist Texts." XII Encuentros James Joyce. UNED, Ávila. April 20-22, 2001.
28. "Anorexia, Language, and the Ideology of Hunger in Recent North American Autobiographies." XXIV Congreso AEDEAN. Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha. December 14-16, 2000.
29. "La anorexia: una enfermedad de transmisión textual." Congreso Internacional sobre Violencia y Género. Universidad de Málaga. November 29-December 1, 2000.
30. "Didáctica de la traducción: posibilidades y perspectivas." Round table. IV Jornadas de Estudios Ingleses. Universidad de Jaén. November 22-25, 2000.
31. "Food in the Writings of Medieval Women: The Lasting Pleasures of Prolonged Fasting." 13th International SELIM (Spanish society for Mediaeval English Language and Literature) Conference: "Medieval Studies in the Threshold of the Third Milenium: Continuity and Innovation." Universidad de Jaén. October 9-11, 2000.
32. "Exile and Abstinence in the Works of Jeannette Armstrong and Maxine Hong Kingston." I International Conference on American and Canadian Literature. Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha. April 27-29, 1999.

33. "Masochism and Freedom in Marian Engel's *The Tattooed Woman*." VI Encuentros de Estudios Canadienses. Universidad de Extremadura. April 16-17, 1999.
34. "Freud, Freeman, Feminismo en la literatura de finales del siglo XIX." I Jornadas Nacionales de Literatura Norteamericana. Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha. February 17-19, 1999.
35. "Literatura y cambio social." III Jornadas de Estudios Ingleses. Round Table. Universidad de Jaén. December 11, 1998.
36. "Panorama de la crítica feminista en los estudios norteamericanos: aplicaciones prácticas." Round Table. Seminario Interdisciplinar de Estudios sobre la Mujer. Universidad de Jaén. November 20, 1998.
37. "Art. Food, Sex." IX Encuentros de la Asociación Española James Joyce. Organizing Committee. Universidad de Jaén. April 17-18, 1998.
38. "Panorama de la crítica feminista en los estudios Anglonorteamericanos." Round Table. Seminario Interdisciplinar de Estudios sobre la Mujer. Universidad de Jaén. February 4, 1998.
39. "The Other Literature in English: A Critical Alternative." Round table. XXI Congreso AEDEAN. Universidad de Sevilla. December 18-20, 1997.
40. "Joyce's *Dubliners* as Postmodern Anti-Detective Stories." XXI Congreso AEDEAN. Universidad de Sevilla. December 18-20, 1997.
41. "Creative Use of Historical records: 'Rudy Wiebe Does Not keep His Head in the Sand.'" I Simposio Internacional de Estudios Canadienses. Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. November 12-14, 1997.
42. "Through James Rosequist and Larry Rivers to the Short Stories of Donald Barthelme: Notes on Pop Art and Postmodernism." First International Conference on English Studies: Past, Present and Future. Universidad de Almería. October 19-25, 1997.
43. "Mystery and Detective Elements in Joyce's Short Stories." VIII Encuentros de la Asociación Española James Joyce. Universidade da Coruña. April 4-5, 1997.
44. "Thomas King: A Trickster Healing through Humor." III Congreso SAAS. Universidad de León. March 19-21, 1997.
45. "Artistic Discourse as Envisioned by Northrop Frye and Edward Said." IV Congreso Internacional sobre el Discurso Artístico. Universidad de Oviedo. March 13-15, 1997.
46. Co-presenter. "The Imagined Indian Imaged in Four Spanish Advertisements." With Luisa Juárez Hervás. XX Congreso AEDEAN. Universitat de Barcelona. December 12-14, 1996.
47. "Thomas King: Combating Official expectations of Nativeness." VI Congreso Internacional de Estudios Canadienses. Sitges. November 8-10, 1996.
48. "The New Mestiza: An Identity that Dissolves Borders." 19th Annual conference of the Association for the Study of New Literatures in English (GNEL). University of Konstanz. September 11-15, 1996.
49. "The Literary Canon: You Are What You Read and you Read What you Are." IV Jornadas de Literatura en Lengua Inglesa del Siglo XX. Universidad de Valladolid. April 24-26, 1996.

50. "The Feminization of Native Culture in Anthropology: The Works of Alice Fletcher and Frances Densmore." EACLALS. Silver Jubilee Conference. Universidad de Oviedo. March 26-20, 1996.
51. "Autobiographies in la Frontera: Gloria Anzaldúa." VI Jornadas de Literatura Contemporánea en lengua inglesa. Universidad de Zaragoza. March 21-23, 1996.
52. "New Autobiographical Writings: Proposals for New Identities." Round table. II Jornadas de Estudios Ingleses. Universidad de Jaén. November 13-16, 1996.
53. "Weaving Patterns in Native American Autobiographies." III Congreso Nacional/I Internacional sobre el Discurso Artístico. Universidad de Oviedo. March 14-16, 1996.
54. "Charges Against Ann Cameron's Daughters of Copper Woman: Disregard for male Ethnographic Evidence." XIX Congreso AEDEAN. Universidade de Vigo. December 13-16, 1995.
55. "Teaching Methods for the Practice of English in Business Studies." VI Congresso Luso-Espanhol de Linguas para Fins Específicos. Instituto Superior Politécnico de Viseu. September 28-20, 1995.
56. "Linguistic Terrorism at the Juncture of Cultures: Code-Switching in US Latino Self-Narration." XV PALA Conference: "Stylistics and Discourse: A Critical Approach." Universidad de Granada. September 20-22, 1995.
57. "Alternative Stories: Autobiographies by Native Canadian Women and Native Canadian Women Autobiographies." 3rd ESSE Conference. Glasgow University. September 8-12, 1995.
58. "Rectifying the Misogyny of Official Native Myths: Anne Cameron's Daughters of Copper Woman and Dzeldarhons." Cross-Cultural and Comparative Approaches to Canadian Studies Conference. University of Birmingham. May 19-20, 1995.
59. "'Almighty Voice' Rudy Wiebe: Historical Fiction as Re-enactment of Scripture." Imperial Canada Conference. Edinburgh University Centre of Canadian Studies. May 5-7, 1995.
60. "Crafting Indian Identity through Myth and Folktale: The Feminine Aspect of Spirituality in Degonwadonti's Food and Spirits." V Jornadas de Literatura Contemporánea en Lengua Inglesa: "Margins in British and American Literature, Film, and Culture." Universidad de Zaragoza. April 3-5, 1995.
61. "An 'Authorless' Text: The Usefulness of Mythological Structures in Leslie Marmon Silko's *Ceremony*." I Congreso de Filoloxia Inglesa da Universidade da Coruña. March 23-25, 1995.
62. "Proyección internacional de la literatura canadiense." Round table. II Jornadas de Estudios Canadienses. Universidad de Alcalá de Henares. March 1-3, 1995.
63. "The Survivors of the 'Good Old Days': American Indian Grandmothers and the Recording of their Oral (hi)stories." XVIII Congreso AEDEAN. Universidad de Alcalá de Henares. December 15-17, 1994.
64. "*The Innocent Traveller* by Ethel Wilson: A Pathetic Comedy of Manners." International Society for Humor Studies Conference. Ithaca, NY. June 22-24, 1994.
65. "Memory and Desire in Some Tales by Native Women." Cultural Studies in Canada Conference. University of Toronto. May 12-14, 1994.

66. "Sexual Harassment in the American Campuses: The Feminist Mode in Academic Whodunits." 11th Annual Women's Research Conference. University of South Dakota. April 11-16, 1994.
67. "*Murder in the English Department* by Valerie Miner: An Exercise in Gender reconstruction." III Jornadas Internacionales de la Mujer. Universidad Complutense de Madrid. November 22-24, 1993.
68. "Humor as a Result of Intertextual Practices in the University Novel." International Society for Humor Studies Conference. Luxembourg. September 30-October 3, 1993.
69. "The Academic Novel of Detection: Amanda Cross and a Feminist Subversion of the Subgenre." The Second ESSE Conference. Bordeaux. September 4-8, 1993.
70. "Anglo-Saxon Attitudes: Robertson Davies and the Academic Novel." III Encuentros de Estudios Canadienses. Universidad de Extremadura. March 12-13, 1993.
71. "Murder in Academe." Primer Congreso de Lengua y Literatura Anglo-Norteamericana. Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha. March 9-12, 1993.
72. "La universidad en la novela contemporánea." Extra-Curricular activities. Universidad de Granada. November 27-29, 1991.
73. "Eva en la Universidad." II Jornadas de Estudios de la mujer. Universidad Complutense de Madrid. March 10-12, 1991.
74. "David Lodge, crítico y novelista." Organization of Seminar. Universidad de Granada. March 21-22, 1989.

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY AND THE COMMUNITY

(a) Offices held and Dates. Other Service.

September 21, 2009-the present. AGAE Commission for Evaluation, Certification and Accreditation. (AGAE: Agency for Quality Assurance in Higher Education and Research in Andalusia. It was set up in 2005 with the purpose of promoting quality improvement in Andalusian Universities).

October 1, 2008-the present. Board of Directors of AGAE.

2008-09. Expert Panel for the Evaluation of Research Grants "TALENTIA."

October 1, 2008-September 21, 2009. Responsible for the Management Area in AGAE.

October 1, 2008- September 21, 2009. Executive Vice-president of the Consortium for Quality Assurance of the University System of Andalusia (UCUA was created as a consortium between the Regional Ministry of Science and Education and the Public Universities in Andalusia with the mission of promoting quality improvement in Andalusian Universities).

2008. Coordinator and Evaluator of the post-graduate programs offered by the ten public Universities within the region of Andalusia.

2008. External Advisor for the Assessment, Certification and Accreditation Committee in charge of evaluating teaching and research processes of Andalusian Professors within the framework of the European Higher Education Area (EHEA)

2006-2009. Evaluation of Research, Development and Innovation Projects submitted by groups and private individuals in Universities and research Institutes within Andalusia.

June 2007. Evaluation of graduate programs offered in the areas of English and French Philology within the region of Andalusia.

2004. Committee for Assessing the Quality standards of the degree of English Philology offered by the English Department at the University of Jaen.

1999-2003. Vice-Dean of Humanities. Universidad de Jaen.

(b) Membership in Scholarly Societies

AEDEAN (Spanish Association for Anglo and north-American Studies)

Asociación Española James Joyce

EAAS (European Association for American Studies)

EACLALS (European Association for Commonwealth literature and Language Studies)

ESSE (European Society for the Study of English)

SAAS (Spanish association of north-American Studies)

SELIM (Spanish Society for Mediaeval Language and literature)

(C) Memberships on Editorial Boards. Editorships

Currently editor-in-chief of *The Skase (Slovak Association for the Study of English) Journal of Literary Studies*. www.skase.sk

Board of *The Grove: Working Papers on English Studies*. Edited by the English Department at the university of Jaen.

Chief-editor of *The Grove: Working Paper on English Studies*. 1998/1999.

Board of *Canadaria*, edited by the Center for Canadian Studies at the University of La Laguna (Tenerife, Canaries).