



Latino Center for Health presents:
**4th ANNUAL LATINX FACULTY
RECOGNITION**
2019-2020 Academic Year



DR. GABRIEL GALLARDO

Associate Vice President, Office of Minority Affairs and Diversity

Affiliate Associate Professor, Geography

Lifetime Achievement Award

Respected and revered as a steady beacon of justice and excellence, Dr. Gabriel Gallardo has worked at the University of Washington for 27 years. During this time, he has provided key leadership in the Office of Minority Affairs & Diversity, especially as a staunch advocate for expanding access and promoting success for first generation, low-income, and underrepresented students at UW.

For his generative leadership and indelible impact on students, staff and faculty alike, the Latino Center for Health honors Dr. Gabe Gallardo with its inaugural Lifetime Achievement Award.



DR. JUAN GUERRA

Professor & Chair, American Ethnic Studies

Professor, English

Retiring after 30 years of service at UW



DR. GINO AISENBERG

Associate Dean, Graduate School, Diversity & Student Affairs

Associate Professor, School of Social Work

Co-Director, Latino Center for Health

Grant:

- Washington Latino Physician Supply Study 2019-20. Leo Morales, PI and Gino Aisenberg, Co-PI

Funding from Washington State Legislature:

- \$1,000,000 allocated to Latino Center for Health for 2019-21 biennium



DR. CECILIA ARAGÓN

Professor, Human Centered Design & Engineering

Publication (book):

- *Writers in the Secret Garden: Fanfiction, Youth, and New Forms of Mentoring*

Publication (journal article):

- “SUGAR: An improved empirical model of Type Ia Supernovae based on spectral features”



DR. MARIA-TANIA BANDES-BECERRA WEINGARDEN

Lecturer

Culture, Arts and Communication, School of
Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences, **UW Tacoma**

Grant:

- Funding secured for the new theatre program at UW Tacoma



DR. BÁRBARA BAQUERO

Associate Professor, Health Services

Affiliate Faculty, Latino Center for Health

Publications:

- “Associations between organizational culture, workplace health climate, and employee smoking at smaller workplaces”
- “Advancing the Use of Organization Theory in Implementation Science”
- “Evaluation of store environment changes of an in-store intervention to promote fruits and vegetables in Latino/Hispanic-focused food stores”



DR. RUBÉN CASAS

Assistant Professor

Culture, Arts and Communication, School of
Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences, **UW Tacoma**

Publications:

- “The Place of Free Speech: Making Controversy Material at the Neoliberal University”
- “Precarious economies: capitalism’s creative destruction in the age of neoliberal campus planning”



DR. SARAH CHÁVEZ

Lecturer

Culture, Arts and Communication, School of
Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences, **UW Tacoma**

Publication:

- “Halfbreed Helene’s Mother Says Not to Call Herself That”



DR. JOANA CUNHA-CRUZ

Research Associate Professor, Oral Health Sciences

Publications:

- “Fluoride Varnish and Dental Caries in Preschoolers: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis”
- “Organizational Readiness to Implement System Changes in an Alaskan Tribal Dental Care Organization”
- “Limited Evidence Suggests That Many Types of Desensitizing Toothpaste May Reduce Dentin Hypersensitivity, but Not the Ones With Strontium or Amorphous Calcium Phosphate”
- “A survey of caregiver acculturation and acceptance of silver diamine fluoride treatment for childhood caries”
- “Caregiver satisfaction with interim silver diamine fluoride applications for their children with caries prior to operating room treatment or sedation”
- “Randomized Trial Based on the Common-Sense Model of Self-regulation to Increase Child Dental Visits”



DR. SONIA DE LA CRUZ

Assistant Professor

Culture, Arts and Communication, School of Interdisciplinary Arts & Sciences, **UW Tacoma**

Publications:

- “Laboring in Line With Our Values: Lessons learned in the Struggle to Unionize”
- “Feminist Responses to the Neoliberalization of the University: From Surviving to Thriving”



DR. ALEJANDRO FRANCETICH

Assistant Professor

School of Business, **UW Bothell**

Publications:

- “Choosing a Good Toolkit, I: Prior-free Heuristics”
- “Choosing a Good Toolkit, II: Bayes-rule Based Heuristics”
- “Learning and Self-confirming Long-Run Biases”

DR. DEBORAH FULLER

Professor, Microbiology



Grants:

- CD180-targeted immunotherapeutic for chronic HBV in HIV-infected patients
- Programming protective immunity by targeting antigens to the CD180 receptor
- Universal influenza A/B vaccine

Publications:

- “Amplifying RNA Vaccine Development”
- “Engagement of monocytes, NK cells and CD4+ Th1 cells by ALVAC-SIV vaccination results in a decreased risk of SIVmac251 vaginal acquisition”
- “Multimeric epitope-scaffold HIV vaccine target V1V2 and differentially tune polyfunctional antibody responses”
- “Transient immune activation associated with BCG vaccination of infant rhesus macaques is not sufficient to influence oral SIV infection”
- “Infection of rhesus macaques results in persistent viral replication and induces intestinal immunopathology”
- “Mucosal T helper 17 and T regulatory cell homeostasis correlates with acute SIV viremia and responsiveness to antiretroviral therapy in macaques”



DR. MARÍA ELENA GARCÍA

Associate Professor, Jackson School of International Studies

Director, Comparative History of Ideas

Joff Hanauer Honors Professor in Western Civilization

Grant:

- Faculty Research Fellowship Award, Society of Scholars, Simpson Center for Humanities, UW

Publication:

- “Death of a Guinea Pig: Grief and the Limits of Multispecies Ethnography in Peru”



DR. ANGELINA GODOY

Professor, Law, Societies & Justice/International Studies

Helen H. Jackson Chair in Human Rights

Director, Center for Human Rights

Publication:

- “The Fight for Human Rights Begins at Home: The challenges of carrying out human rights research on the detention of migrant children in Washington state highlight the colonial roots of state care”



DR. RICARDO GÓMEZ

Associate Professor

Information School

Publication (book):

- *Life Histories of Labor and Resilience: 25 years of Casa Latina in Seattle*



DR. LUIS F. GONZÁLEZ-CUYAR

Assistant Professor, Pathology

Clinical Neuropathologist & Head of Neuromuscular Pathology, Harborview Medical Center

Grant:

- Manganese-Induced Neurotoxic Effects Research in South Africa (MINERS)



DR. CATHERINE HOUGH

Professor

Pulmonary, Critical Care and Sleep Medicine

***Appointed Division Chief of the
Pulmonary Division at OHSU***



DR. LURDES INOUE

Professor & Chair

Biostatistics

***Appointed Gilbert S. Omenn Endowed
Chair in Biostatistics. She is the first woman
to chair this department.***



DR. JOSÉ ANTONIO LUCERO

Associate Professor & Associate Director,
Jackson School of International Studies

Chair, Latin American & Caribbean Studies

Publication:

- “The Fight for Human Rights Begins at Home: The challenges of carrying out human rights research on the detention of migrant children in Washington state highlight the colonial roots of state care”



DR. ROBERTO E. MONTENEGRO

Assistant Professor, Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, Division of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry

Publications:

- “Ongoing Obstacles to Confronting Microaggressions in Medicine”
- “Morality in Sugar Talk: Presenting Blood Glucose Levels in Routine Diabetes Medical Visits”



DR. LEO MORALES

Professor & Chief Diversity Officer, School of Medicine

Co-Director, Latino Center for Health

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DR. ITZIRI MORENO VILLAMAR

Full-Time Lecturer

Culture, Arts and Communication, School of
Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences, **UW Tacoma**

Grant:

- UW Tacoma Collaborative Publicly Engaged Scholarship



DR. ARIANA OCHOA CAMACHO

Assistant Professor, Social and Historical Studies,
School of Interdisciplinary Arts & Sciences, **UW Tacoma**

Grant:

- American Association of University Women American Postdoctoral Fellowship

Publication:

- “Love in times of Precarity: A Very Queer Politics of Immigration”



DR. INDIA J. ORNELAS

Associate Professor

Health Services

Publication:

- “The Health of Undocumented Latinx Immigrants: What We Know and Future Directions”



DR. JOHNNIE OROZCO

Assistant Professor, Division of Hematology

Hematology Oncologist, Seattle Cancer Care Alliance

Grant:

- Combining Targeted RIT and Synergistic Novel Agents to Eradicate AML



DR. JACQUELINE PADILLA-GAMIÑO

Assistant Professor

School of Aquatic & Fishery Sciences

Grant:

- Sloan Research Fellowship in Ocean Sciences



DR. MAGGIE RAMÍREZ

Assistant Professor, Health Services

Affiliate Faculty, Latino Center for Health

Grants:

- Cultural Adaptation of a Behavioral Intervention for Latino Caregivers
- Iterative (Re)Design of a Virtual Postpartum Depression Intervention with Latina Mothers



DR. ALYSSA RAMÍREZ STEGE

Assistant Professor

Social, Behavioral and Human Sciences, School of
Interdisciplinary Arts & Sciences, **UW Tacoma**

Publication:

- “A critical post-colonial and resilience-based framework of supervision in action”



DR. ROSANA RISQUES

Associate Professor

Pathology

Promoted to Associate Professor



DR. ILEANA RODRIGUEZ-SILVA

Associate Professor, History

Giovanni and Amne Costigan Endowed Professor

Publications:

- “The Office of Civil Defense and Colonialism as a State of Emergency”
- “The Fight for Human Rights Begins at Home: The challenges of carrying out human rights research on the detention of migrant children in Washington state highlight the colonial roots of state care”

DR. JOSEPH SISNEROS



Professor, Psychology

Publication (journal article):

- “Sexually dimorphic swim bladder extensions enhance the auditory sensitivity of female plainfin midshipman fish, *Porichthys notatus*”

Publication (book):

- *Hearing and Hormones* (co-editor)

Grants:

- National Science Foundation 5-year collaborative award
- Virginia Merrill Bloedel Scholarship



DR. ANAID YERENA

Assistant Professor

Urban Studies Program, **UW Tacoma**

Publications:

- “Strategic Action for Affordable Housing: How Advocacy Organizations Accomplish Policy Change”
- “Public Housing Authorities in the Private Market?”
- “Conversations with Moving to Work Agencies on the Future of Policy Innovation”

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