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# Area of Specialization

Latin America, emphasis on Mexico: *history of science and medicine*

# Professional Experience

**2016** - Professor, Department of the History of Science, Harvard University

**2009-12** Director, Latin American and Iberian Studies (LAIS), UCSB

**2009-15** Associate Professor, History Department, University of California at Santa Barbara

**2004-16** Affiliated Professor, Latin American and Iberian Studies Program, UCSB

**2004-16** Affiliated Professor, Chicano and Chicana Studies, UCSB

**2003-09** Assistant Professor, History Department, University of California at Santa Barbara

**2002-03** Assistant Professor, History Department, Michigan State University

**2001-02** Small Group Facilitator, University of California San Francisco School of Medicine, Department of Anthropology, History and Social Medicine

# Education

Ph.D. University of California, San Diego History of Latin America - June 2001

M. A. University of California, San Diego History of Latin America - Sept 1998

B.A. Cal State Dominguez Hills, Journalism, History and French – Magna Cum Laude, 1994

# Professional Experience in fields of research

**2020-23** History of Science Editorial Board Member

**2018-21** David Rockefeller Center for Latin American Studies, Executive Committee member

**2017-20** History of Science Society Council Member

**2017-18** History of Science Executive Council Member

**2017-20** History and Technology, Editorial Board Member

**2015-16** UC-Mexico Health Working Group

**2015-19** Manguinhos, Editorial Board Member

**2015-17** Medical History, Editorial Board Member

**2013-16** UC-MEXUS Advisory Board

**2013-17** Mexican Studies/Estudios Mexicanos Editorial Board Member

**2011-16** Hispanic American Historical Review (HAHR) Editorial Board Member

**2010-15** UC Press Editorial Committee Member

**Awards, Prizes, Fellowships**

**2019**

*Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton.* Member for Academic year 2019-2020

Endowed Chair — *Antonio Madero Professor* for the Study of Mexico

2019 recipient of the *Everett Mendelsohn Excellence In Mentoring* Award

**2018**

Harvard University Asia Center –research in India for third book project.

DRCLAS – Santander Innovation Fund – to partner with a Mexican Institution and foster academic exchange.

*Harvard University, Social Science Dean’s Funds and DRCLAS Faculty award*to organize *Unusual Cures: Illness and Health in Latin America*, March 2018 at Harvard University.

**2017**

*Harvard University, Social Science Dean’s Funds* to organize *Remapping and (Dis)Locating Histories of Science and Medicine*, April 22-23, 2017 at Harvard University.

**2016**

*Harvard Dean’s Competitive Fund for Promising Scholarship.*

*Gerda Henkel Fellowship for Research Scholars*, July 2015—January 2016.

*DAAD* Deutscher Akademischer Austasch Dienst/Research Stay for University

Academics and Scientists, June. - August, 2015.

*Visiting Scholar - Max Planck Institute for History of Science*, Berlin Aug. 1– Oct.1, 2015 and Jan.1 – Jan. 31, 2016, Group II

*UC Academic Senate Research Grant.*

**2014**

*UC President’s Start-Up Fellowship*

*LAIS Outstanding Faculty Advisor*

*Rockefeller Archive Center Grant*

UCEAP - Botswana -intensive introduction to Botswana Healthcare System, Gaborone and Serowe, Botswana July 3-July 18, 2014

**2012**

*Internationalization at Home, Bremen University* – Invited to give five lectures over the course of a week on campus.

*LAIS Mentorship Award* – Awarded by the LAIS Master’s students

**2011**

*Interdisciplinary Humanities Center* *Grant* – for final archival research to conclude research on second book manuscript about physician strikes and public health

**2010**

*Robert K. Merton Book Award* *for Jungle Laboratories* – The Merton Award is given every two years by the Science, Knowledge, and Technology (SKAT) section of the American Sociological Association for the best recent book published in science and technology.

*Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Fellowship* co-P.I. to work with JSTOR on a preliminary site for Botany and History – Joint Fellowship with Gregg Mitman of U. of Wisconsin Madison and Fred Gibbs of George Mason University. Project completed.

**2009**

*UC - Mexus Faculty* *Grant* to fund archival research for new book project

*Academic Senate Faculty Grant* for travel to Mexico City Archives

**2008**

Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies Fellowship

Fellow in Residence at the UC, San Diego Center

*Faculty Career Development Grant* – for research travel to archives

**2007**

*Best Article Prize from LASA* (Latin American Studies Association) section on Health, Science and Society for “Uncommon Trajectories: Steroid Hormones, Mexican Peasants and the Search for a Wild Yam”

**2006-07**

*Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship , Fellow in Residence* at the Department of History of Medicine and Bioethics, UW, Madison

*Interdisciplinary Humanities Center* grant – to conduct final research on first book manuscript *Course Releases*

**2003-04**

*Academic Senate Travel Grant; Faculty Career Development Award* ; *Academic Senate Junior Faculty Research* *Incentive Grant; UC President’s Start-Up*

**2001-02**

*University of California President's Post-Doctoral* *Fellowship* (18 months)

Residential fellow at the Department of Anthropology, History and Social Medicine at the UC San Francisco School of Medicine

**2000-01**

*Ford* *Foundation Dissertation Grant; Visiting Guest Scholar*, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UC San Diego

**1998-2000**

*Visiting Research Fellow*, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UC San Diego; *U.C. Mexus Research Grant*; *Fulbright-Garcia Robles Fellow,* Mexico

**Select Publications - accepted, published, and forthcoming**

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela and Warwick Anderson, guest editors. “Forum: Decolonizing Histories in Theory and Practice,” *History and Theory:* 59 (2020), 2.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela “Moving from, and Beyond, Invented Categories: Afterwords” *History and* Theory: 59 (2020), 2: 439-447.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela, “Cold War Mexico in a Time of ‘Wonder Drugs,’” Anne-Emanuelle Birn and Raúl Necochea López in *Peripheral Nerve: Health and Medicine in Cold War Latin America*. Durham and London: Duke University Press, 2020:86-106.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela, “Beyond Americans in the Fields: The Socialist Origins of the Green Revolution,” in Edna Suarez and Gisela Mateos, guest eds. *History and Technology*, Fall 2002, in press forthcoming.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela, “Doña Hermila: Zapotec Healer and Media Star,” Diego Armus and Pablo Gomez. University of Pittsburg Press, accepting, in press, forthcoming.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela, “Beyond Borlaug’s Shadow: Octavio Paz and Mexican Hybrid Seeds in India,” *Agricultural History*, accepted forthcoming Fall 2021.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela, “Thinking Beyond Borlaug” in John Krige, ed. *Transnational Transactions: Negotiating the Movement of Knowledge Across Borders,* University of Chicago Press, accepted, forthcoming.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela, “Zapotec Healer,” excerpt in Mexico Reader Gil Joseph and Timothy Henderson, Duke University Press, accepted forthcoming Fall 2021.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela, “*Beyond Hermosillo*,” in Diane Davis and Felipe Vera, eds. *City Design, Planning and Policy Innovations: The Case of Hermosillo.* Inter-American Development Bank, 2019:116-127.

HSS commentary  
Article in Edna Suarez Book

*Laboratorios en La Selva*. Translation of Jungle Laboratories. Mexico: Fondo de Cultural Económica, Fall 2020.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. *Largo dislocare*: connecting microhistories to remap and recenter histories of science, *History and Technology*, 34:1, 2018: 21-30.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela and Pablo Gomez, editors. “Introduction,” Special Issue on Sciences from “Over There,” *History and Technology,* 34:1, 2018:5-10.

*“Epigenetics of Memory,” Kalfou: Special Issue on Race and Science.* Volume 5, Issue 1 Spring 2018: 54-60.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Agricultura, Ciencia, y Hambruna Global: India, Mexico y Estados Unidos en la Obtención de Semillas Híbridas,” De la Guerra Fría al calentamiento global Estados Unidos, España y el nuevo orden científico mundial. [From the Cold War to Global Warming: The United States and Spain in the New Scientific World Order]. Lino Camprubí, Xavier Roqué y Francisco Saez de Adana (eds.) Madrid, Los libros de la catarata, 2018.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela et al *“*Roundtable: New Narratives of the Green Revolution,” *Agriculture History,* vol. 91, num. 3, Summer 2017:397-422.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Medicalizing the Borders of an Expanding State: Physicians Reporting from the Frontier of Mexican Progress, 1930-1950,” in W. I. Lee, John W.I. and Michael North *Globalizing Borderlands Studies in Europe and North America*. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2016.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Medicamentos Milagrosos: Embajadas y Enfermedades en el México de la Guerra Fría,” (Wonder Drugs: Embassies and Diseases in Cold War Mexico” chapter in edited volume, eds Gisela Mateos and Edna Suarez. *Aproximaciones a lo local y lo global: América Latin en la Historia de la Ciencia Contemporanea* (*Approximating the Global and the Local: Latin América in contemporary history of Science*), Mexico City: UNAM Press, 2016: 243-267.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Cold War Mexico in a Time of ‘Wonder Drugs” chapter in a volume on *History of Science and Medicine in Cold War Latin America*, edited by Anne-Emmanuelle Birn and Raul Necochea, *submitted, accepted. Forthcoming 2019.*

*“Science, Technology and Health in Latin America,” Oxford Research Encyclopedia* editor for History of Science and Medicine in Latin America section on-line content and future print version of 20 essays.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Building the Nation of the Future, One Waiting Room at a Time: Hospitals in the Making of Modern Mexico,” *History and Technology* edited by John Krige and Jessica Wang, Volume 31, Issue 3, July 2015, pages 275-294.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. *“*Mexico’s Historical Solutions to Rural Health*,”* in *Health for All the Journey to Universal Health Coverage*. York: Center for Global Health Histories, 2015.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Bringing the Revolution to Medical Schools: Social Service and Rural Health in 1930s Mexico”, *Mexican Studies/Estudios Mexicanos*,vol. 29, num.2, Summer 2013:397-427.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Shadowing the Professional Class: Reporting Fictions in Doctors’ Strikes” Special issue on secret service archives. *Journal of Iberian and Latin American Research*, Summer 2013, 19:1, 30-40.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Seeing the Countryside through Medical Eyes: Social Service Reports in the Making of a Sickly Nation.” *Endeavour*, vol. 37, Issue 1, 2013: 29-39.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Introduction: Continuity and Change in the History of Mexican Public Health” as guest co-editor with Ben Smith for *Endeavour* special issue on History of Public Health in Mexico. *Endeavour*, vol. 37, Issue 1, 2013: 1-3.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela and Benjamin Smith Endeavor Special Issue Continuities and Change in the History of Mexican Public Health. *Endeavour*, vol. 37, Issue 1, 2013. (Issue with 6 articles)

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela and Claudia Agostoni. “Science and Public Health in the Century of Revolution,” in Beezley, William. *A Companion to Mexican History and Culture*. John Wiley & Sons, 2011: 561-574.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. “Médicos, Hospitales y Servicios de Inteligencia” in *Salud Colectiva.* Buenos Aires: Instituto de Salud Colectiva, 7(1), Enero-Abril, 2011: 87-97. *Selected for English Issue by the Journal Editors.*

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. "Searching for Molecules, Finding Rebellion: Echeverría's 'Arriba y Adelante' Populism in Southeastern Mexico” in *Populism in twentieth century Mexico : the presidencies of Lázaro Cárdenas and Luis Echeverría,* edited by Amelia Kiddle and MariaMuñoz. Tucson: University of Arizona Press: 2010: pp. 87-105.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. *Jungle Laboratories: Mexican Peasants, National, Projects and the Making of the Pill*. Durham: Duke University Press, 2009. ***Winner of Robert K. Merton Award***

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. "The Conquest of Molecules: Wild Yams and American Scientists in Mexican Jungles” in *Colonial Crucible: Empire* in the Making of the Modern American. Madison, University of Wisconsin Press, 2009: pp. 309-317.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. "'Let's Become Fewer': Soap Operas, The Pill and Population Campaigns, 1976- 1986" *Sexuality Research and Social Policy Journal,* 2007. Vol 4, no. 3, pp.19-33.

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. "Fabriquer la connaisance et refabriquer la citoyenneté du 'campesino' dans le Mexique Rural. In *Des Sciences Citoyennes ? La Question de l'amateur dans* *les sciences naturalistas*. edited Florian Charvoli, André Micoud and Lynn Nyhart. France: L’Aube, 2007: pp. 233-249

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. "Uncommon Trajectories: Steroid Hormones, Mexican Peasants and the Search for a Wild Yam Studies in *History and Philosophy of Biological and Biomedical Science* Vol. 36, no. 4, December, pp. 743-760. ***Winner of 2007 Best Article Prize for Science, Health and Society Section of Latin American Studies Association***

Soto Laveaga, Gabriela. *The Social Relations of Mexican Commodities: Power, Production and Place*. Edited by Casey Walsh, Soto Laveaga, G. et al. La Jolla: Center for U.S. Mexican, 2003. "Steroid Hormones and Social Relations in Oaxaca” in *The Social Relations of Mexican Commodities*. pp. 55-80

**Invited talks/Lectures/Keynotes/presentations**

“Health Policies, Political Power, and Regime Change in 20th-Century Latin America,” comment. American Historical Association, January 2021.

“ ‘Development’ Science in Latin America: Rethinking Hybrid Seeds and 20th Century Agro-technology,” American Historical Association, January 2021.

“Agroalimentación y ciencia en México durante la Guerra Fría,” Trayectorias de la ciencia, la salud y la nutrición en América Latina durante el Desarrollo y la Guerra Fría, Bogota, Virtual December 4, 2020.

“Discussing Jungle Laboratories,” University of Pennsylvania, November 12, 2020.

“Beyond Science in the Fields: Hybrid Seeds, Race, and Land in the Making of the Green Revolution,” Johns Hopkins History of Medicine Colloquium, October 29, 2020.

Guest Lecturer Panel, “Drugs, Chemicals, and Health,” Professor Evan Hepler-Smith, Duke University. October 20, 2020.

“Rogue Seeds in Mexican Fields,” SHOT, October, 10, 2020.

“Solving the Problem of Hunger,” Science Gallery Bengaluru, September 9, 2020.

“Actores, Lugares, y Cronologías de la Historia Tecnológica Latinoamericana,” El Colegio de México, August 25, 2020.

“Mexico in Times of Covid,” Darthmouth College, August 13, 2020.

“Latin American Workers and Covid-19: An International Perspective Panel, May 8, 2020.

“Global Hunger/Scientific Solutions,” Institute for Advanced Studies, March 6, 2020.

“Mexico and India in Global History,” Transnational Transactions: Negotiating the Movement of Knowledge Across Borders, Caltech, Pasadena, February 19-21, 2020.

“Tethered Fields: Sonora and the Punjab in mid-twentieth century scientific agriculture,” Program in Agrarian Studies, Yale University, January 28, 2020.

“Republic of Plants" in Chennai, India December 9-14, 2019.

“Scientific Agriculture: Rethinking Narratives of the Green Revolution,” Institute for Advanced Study, October 3, 2019.

“Rethinking and Redrawing Border Imaginaries,” Mellon School of Theater and Performance, June 26, 2019.

Planning Meeting for Science and Globalization Reader, Columbia University, May 15, 2019.

“(Re)Locating Known Histories of Science to the South: The Case of Hybrid Seeds in Mexico,” UC San Diego, May 14, 2019.

“Traveling Hybrids: Mexico and India in the Green Revolution,” Brown University, April 4, 2019.

“Science from the ‘Periphery”: REmapping and REcentering Scientific Knowledge Production,” Keynote Address, Hong Kong Institute for the Humanities and Social Sciences, December 10, 2018.

“Midwives, Healers and New Ways of Thinking About Health,” Keynote Lecture, Joint Atlantic Seminar for the History of Medicine, Yale, October 5, 2018.

Ann Radcliffe Trust Lecture for Incoming Freshmen “History, Memory, and Place: History of Science in Latin America,” August 30, 2018.

“Science, History of Science, and Modernity,” workshop in Berlin, MPIWG. July 9-11, 2018.

“Experimental Camps, Hybrid Seeds, and Contested Histories in India and Mexico,” Yale University, April 16, 2018.

“Mexico en El Nuevo Orden Científico Mundial: Estados Unidos y la Investigación en España y otros Países desde 1945,” Barcelona, Feb 16, 2018.

“Global Histories of Science Seminar talk,” Columbia University December 1, 2017

Columbia University Public Lecture, November 30, 2017

“Redrawing Knowledge Exchange: Scientific Agriculture in Sonora, Mexico and Punjab, India,” Harvard STS Circle. October 23, 2017.

“Fire and Water: Science in the Americas,” workshop at Brown University, September 24, 2017.

“Parallels of Science: Latitude and Agriculture in Scientific Agriculture,” Pennsylvania University, September 18, 2017,

**“**The ICHST and the Future of HSTM Studies in the Global South: A Conversation,”ICHST, Rio de Janeiro, July 28, 2017.

“Science In Their Own Wor[l]ds: Histories, Ontologies and Knowledge-Making  
from the South” ICHST, Rio de Janeiro, July 25, 2017.

“Scientists Knee-Deep in Wheat: Agriculture, Elusive ‘Modernity,’ and Hybrid Seeds in Mexico,” for workshop “The Engine of Modernity: Construing Science as the Driving Force of History in the Twentieth Century,” Columbia University, May 2-3, 2017.

Commentator/Chair, Women’s Agency and Embodied Experiences in Defining Sex, Childbirth, and Reproduction: Guatemala, Brazil, and Chile, 1800-1970. AHA, Denver Jan. 7, 2017.

“Hospitals as Centers of Revolutionary Action: The Mexican Medical Movement of 1965” American Historical Association, Denver, January 6, 2017.

**2016**

“Physicians, Guerrillas and the Practice of Medicine,” New York Academy of Medicine, November 17, 2016. Invited Lecture.

“Hybrid Narratives?: Seed Experimentation in Twentieth Century Mexico.” HSS annual meeting, Atlanta, GA November 5, 2016.

“Where Science and Medicine Meet: Hunger” Roundtable HSS annual meeting, Atlanta, GA. November 4, 2016.

“Foreign Scientists in Mexican Agricultural Lands,” Georgia Tech, November 2, 2016.

“Experimental Camps, Parallel Development, and Archives: Constructing the Narrative of Scientific Agriculture in 1960s Mexico,” October 23, 2016. Dept. HOS colloquium, Harvard.

“Agriculture and the Cold War,” Yale University, October 14, 2016. Invited Talk.

“Doctors, Hospitals, and Rebellion in the formation of the IMSS,” paper presented at Actors, Campaigns and Health Institutions in XXth Century Mexico workshop. September 27-29, 2016. UNAM, Mexico City.

Panel commentator for Tepoztlan Institute for Transnational History - 2016 theme “Racial violences: From a Colonial Past to an Urgent Present,” Tepoztlan, Mexico July 20 -27, 2016.

“New Histories of the Green Revolution: a Roundtable,” Agricultural History annual meeting, June 25, 2016. New York.

“Questioning the Archives: Mexican Seeds and Domestic Technology,” UNAM, Mexico City. Workshop on Global Science, May 20, 2016.

“Decolonizing Food Aid: The case of Mexican Wheat in India” Madison, Wisconsin. April 14, 2016. Invited Talk.

Participant - Penn State Asian Studies Summer Institute on “Decolonizing Science in Asia,” June 13-17.

Participant - CIMMYT50 – International Wheat and Maize Improvement Center, September 27, 2016

**2015**

“Mexican Seeds in India’s Fields: Development Aid in the Global South” Max Planck Institute for the History of Science. Berlin. September 16, 2015.

“Traveling Seeds: Exporting Mexican, Scientific Agriculture to India,” LASA, Puerto Rico. May 27, 2015

co-Plenary with Warwick Anderson. *“Global Health on the Fringes,” American Association of History of Medicine,* New Haven, May 1, 2015.

*Invited UC Berkeley*, “Hospitals, Painters, Murals and Disease: The Mexican State’s Project to Merge Art and Hospital Care, “Berkeley Latin American History colloquium, May 8, 2015.

“Striking Doctors and Doctors as Guerillas: The State and Healthcare Providers in 1960s Mexico” History of Science and Medicine colloquium series. Yale, April 6, 2015

"Rural Health and Striking Urban Doctors: The Aftermath of Mexico's Attempt to Provide Healthcare for All. *University of Minnesota,* April 4, 2015.

**2013 – 14**

Dark Matters II – Science and the Cold War in a Decolonizing World, UBC September 5-6, 2014

UNAM, Mexico City “The Local in the Global: Latin America in Contemporary History of Science” May 26, 2014

UNAM, Mexico City “The Origins of the 1965 Physician Strikes” May 23

World Health Organization, Geneva. Global Health Histories Seminar. “Mexico’s 1980s Health Initiatives,” April 24, 2014

*Radio Interview* – Radio Ciudadana with Ricardo Reyes Chilpa, “History and Medicinal Plants” Mexico City April 1, 2014

*Radio Interview* – NPR. Backstory with the American History Guys, “Border Crossings: A History of US-Mexico Relations” January 17, 2014. http://backstoryradio.org/shows/border-crossings-2/

November 15, 2013 Colorado Springs. Presentation on *Jungle Laboratories***.**

September 12, 2013 Notre Dame comments on book launch of *Shaping the Motherhood of Indigenous Mexico*.

May 20-22, 2013 Globalizing Histories of Science, Medicine and Technology workshop. NYU-Abu Dhabi.

May 7, 2013 – Nature, Science and Technology: A South-South conversation. MIT

May 6, 2013 – Discussant for Beyond Imported Magic: STS in Latin America. MIT

April 18-20, 2013 *Key Note Speaker*, University of North Texas

January 5, 2013 Presidential Panel at American Historical Association, New Orleans, LA. Also presented on two other panels.

**2012**

December 10-15, 2012 *Internationlization at Home Distinguished Visiting Professor*, University of Bremen, Germany.

September 21, 2012 *Conference of Ford Foundation Fellows –* Invited Panel organizer and speaker

June 27 – 30, 2012 *Instituto Fiocruz*, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

June 17 – June 27, 2012 – Co-Director of Intensive seminar on history of Public Health in Mexico for doctoral students from Canada, Mexico and the United States.

**2011**

“Science, Latin America and Production of Knowledge” S*awyer Seminar - University of Indiana*, Feb 19, 2011

“Borders and Boundaries of Political Dissent: Medical Knowledge and Labor Strikes in Modern Mexico” Barbarians, the Baltic, and Beyond: A Comparative Borderlands Conference. UCSB May 2, 2011

The Governance of Health in Mexico, Mexico City. May 11, 2011 **–** Invited Discussant for “*The Regional Dimension of the Epidemiological Transition*” Rodolfo Acuña Soto, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico City.

*Invited comments* for Conference on Space and Place in Latin America, *UC San Diego*, May 20, 2011

April 15, 2011 – *Globalizing the History of Colonial Medicine Workshop*, Yale

Green College, *University of British Columbia*, Vancouver, Canada Nov. 2011

**2009-10**

“The Emperor Has a New Lab Coat: How History of Science and Medicine Challenge our Understanding of Modem Mexico” Oaxaca Summer Institute

“Sanitizing Revolt: Physicians and Public Health in Mexico” Tepoztlán Workshop on Transnational History, July 2009

“*Knowledge Exchange in Southern Mexico: Ecologists, Mexican Peasants, and the Global Need for Steroids”* Cultures of Hygiene/Creole Science, Manchester University September 3-4, 2009

“Sanitizing Revolt: Physician Strikes, Public health and the Mexican Secret service, Johns Hopkins Program in History of Science, Medicine and technology, 02/18/10

Comment on Alexandra Stern’s paper – Medicine, Race and Social Policy University of Southern California April 1

Plenary Talk /Book Presentation UCSB Cultivating Semillas – Outreach for Community College Students, April 10

Jungle Laboratories, Mexican Peasants, National Projects and the Making of the Pill, Book Presentation UCSB Center for Cold War Studies and International History, April 14

“La huelga de médicos y la clase media,” Mexicanist Conference in Queretaro Mexico

“Mexico, Pharmaceuticals and the Cold War,” for Latin America and the Cold War, University of Toronto.

**Talks at Conferences and Presented pre-2001 available upon request**

**Peer Review and awards Committees**

Tenure and Promotion Reviews:

Northwestern University, Occidental College; U. of Massachusetts, Boston; UT Dallas; U. of Hawai’i, Manoa; University of Richmond; University of Chicago; University of North Texas; University of Texas at Austin; University of California, Santa Barbara; Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Peer Review - Book Manuscripts: Chicago U. Press (1), MIT Press (3), Oxford (2), Arizona U. Press (1), UC Press (47 book manuscripts, on editorial Committee), UNC Press (1), Duke (2)

Reviewer for NSF – Three grant proposals in 2012-2013; 1 in 2016; 2 in 2017.

Reviewer for Ford Foundation – Grant selection 2012 and 2013

Reviewer for UC President’s Postdoctoral Fellowship – 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016.

Reviewer for UC –MEXUS

Reviewer for Center for U.S. Mexican Studies

External Reviewer – UCSF doctoral program in Health Sciences (2013) and UCEAP Mexico Program (2013)

Welch Book Prize Committee Member for the American Association for History of Medicine, 2017

**Book Reviews**

*“*Una enfermedad monstruo: Indígenas derribando el cerco de la discriminación en salud,” Review. *Hispanic American Historical Review*, vol. 96, no. 4, November 2016.

“Rural Protest and the Making of Democracy in Mexico, 1968-2000 *Hispanic American Historical Review* Vol. 93 No. 2 (May 2013)

“The Cuban Cure: Reason and Resistance in Global Science” in *Journal of Historical Geography*, Vol. 38, No. 1. (January 2012), pp. 106-107.

*The Struggle for Maize: Campesinos, Workers, and Transgenic Corn in the Mexican Countryside* forin *Journal of Latin American Studies*, Volume 44, Issue 01, February 2012 , pp 217-219.

*The Agrarian Dispute: The Expropriation of American-Owned Rural Land in Postrevolutionary Mexico* for *Journal of Agrarian Change*, (2010) vol. 10., no. 2, pp. 292-294

*Cuidar, Controlar, Curar: Ensaios históricos sobre saúde e doença na América Latina e Caribe* for *The Americas*, (2009) vol. 65., no. 4, pp. 617-618.

*The AIDS Pandemic in Latin America* for *The Journal for Social History of Medicine* (2008) 21 (1): 180-182.

*Unequal Cures: Public Health and Political Change in Bolivia, 1900-1950 (2008)* for *Bulletin of the Pacific Circle, no. 20, pp. 14-16.*

*Avatares de la medicalización en América Latina, 1870-1970* for *Social History of Medicine (*2007), vol. 20, no. 1, pp. 175-176.

*Salud, tecnología y saber medico* for Social History of Medicine (2005) vol. 18., no. 3: pp. 522-523

*Disease in the History of Latin America: From Malaria to AIDS (2004)* for *Bulletin of the Pacific Circle* no. 12, pp. 15-18.

**Professional Associations**

American Historical Association, life member

American Association for the History of Medicine, life member

American Anthropological Association

Council on Latin American History, life member

Ford Foundation Society of Fellows —Senior Ford Fellows, current

Fulbright Alumni Association, life member

History of Science Society, current

Latin American Studies Association, life member

Society for the Social Studies of Science, current

Western Association of Women Historians

Rocky Mountain Council on Latin American Studies, current

American Sociological Association

**Languages Spoken**

Spanish/ English **–** Fully Bilingual – Native Spanish speaker

French – Fluent a few years back, worked as translator at H. Consulate, currently a bit rusty

Portuguese – Excellent Reading skills, fearless speaker

German – Beginning level, continuing education