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ACADEMIC DEGREES

Master of Arts in Sociology (2011), Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi, India.

Master of Philosophy (2008) in Chilean and Hispanic Literature, Universidad de Chile, Santiago, Chile.

- Graduated with Maximum Distinction (3 votes)

Bachelor's in Psychology (2003), Pontificia Universidad Católica, Santiago, Chile.

- Graduated with Distinction (2 votes)

Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences and Humanities (1999), Pontificia Universidad Católica, Santiago, Chile.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Sociology of Crime and Punishment, Historical Sociology, Latin American Studies, Abortion Legislation, Street Sexual Harassment, Gender Studies, Latin American Feminism, Archival Research.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2019. Graduate Research Assistant. Title of the study: National Survey of Health in U.S. Jails. PI: Katheryn M. Nowotny, Department of Sociology, University of Miami. Duties: qualitative coding and analysis of institutional documents.

2013-2014. Research internship at the Group of Studies on History and Justice. Title of Study: Women defendants charged with crimes against public decorum, first half of the 20th century in Santiago, Chile.

2013. External Researcher for the Faculty of Business and Economy, Universidad Andres Bello (UNAB), Santiago, Chile. Title of Study: Legislative Negotiation in Chile.

2015. Methodology Consultant for the Center of Education and Innovation, Chile Foundation. Title of study: Dialogues for the 21st Century's Education.

2014. External researcher for the Municipal Corporation for Social Development of San Joaquin, Santiago, Chile. Title of study: Evaluation of School Environments in San Joaquin.

2013-2014. External Researcher for UNICEF and for the Bilingual Intercultural Program, Ministry of Education, Santiago, Chile. Title of study: Intercultural Projects in Urban Schools: Metropolitan and Bio-Bio Regions.

2008. Master's thesis. Department of Literature, Faculty of Philosophy and Humanities, University of Chile, Santiago, Chile. Title: *Images of social subjects in two Chilean Contemporary Novels: Mano de Obra by Diamela Eltit and Los Conversos by Guadalupe Santa Cruz.*

2006-2007. Researcher at Vivo Positivo, Santiago, Chile. Publications:

- *Monitoring of UNGASS Goals in Sexual and Reproductive Health in Chile.*
- *Study on Opinions, Attitudes and Knowledge about Issues of Public Debate in Chilean Universities.*

2004-2005. Head of Studies, Department of Qualitative Marketing Research, Adimark-GFK. Santiago, Chile.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE.

2015. Adjunct Professor at the Department of Philosophy and Education, Universidad Metropolitana de Ciencias de la Educación (UMCE)

Taught two courses in classroom:

- Psychological Development
- Educational Psychology

2007. Adjunct Professor in the Academic Certificate Program in Sexual Education and Affectivity, Ministry of Education-University of Chile, Santiago, Chile.

Online Course: Discrimination due to Sexual Orientation

2010. Guest Lecturer in the course *20th Century Chilean Poetry*, Department of Germanic and Romance Studies, Delhi University, India.

Classes delivered:

- Poetry of Nobel Prize winner, Gabriela Mistral
- Poetry of National Literature Award winner, Raul Zurita

2001. Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate. Department of Psychology, Pontificia Universidad Católica, Santiago, Chile.

Courses:

- Psycho-social Problems
- Sociocultural Anthropology

CONFERENCES

March 23rd, 2019. 17th Tri-University Latin American & Caribbean, Graduate Student Conference. Florida Atlantic University, University of Miami, Florida International University. Name of Presentation: “*Women in Santiago: Under the Patriarchal Gaze*”

GRADUATE ASSISTANSHIP

2018-Present. Graduate Assistant for Prof. Marissa Omori, Department of Sociology, University of Miami. Course: Quantitative Methodology for Sociologists.

FELLOWSHIPS

2019: Tinker Field Research Grant, by the University of Miami Institute for the Advanced studies of the Americas (UMIA). Amount: US\$2,000.

2008: Fellowship for Literary Essay Creation, by the Book and Reading Council, Ministry of Culture, Government of Chile. Amount: US\$8,000.

2003: Fellowship for Poetic Creation, by the Pablo Neruda Foundation, Santiago, Chile. Amount: US\$2,000.

PUBLICATIONES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES

Concha, Rosario. (2008). Sexual Diversity: Tensions in the workplace in Chile. In: *Masculinities and Globalization: Work and Private Life, Family/ies and Sexuality/ies: 5th Conference for the Study of Masculinities*. Santiago: CEDEM.

Vidal, Francisco; Palma, Irma; Barrientos, Jaime; **Concha, Rosario**; Carrasco, Marina; Santana, Paula; Donoso, Carla (2008). “HIV/AIDS and Teacher Trainees: Pending Challenges in the University Education.” *Educational Dialogues*. 16. Retrieved Oct. 2017 <https://dialnet.unirioja.es/servlet/articulo?codigo=2933009>

Vidal, Francisco; Palma, Irma; Barrientos, Jaime; **Concha, Rosario**; Carrasco, Marina; Santana, Paula; Donoso, Paula; Donoso, Carla (2007). *Sexuality, Gender and HIV/AIDS: What do the future Chilean teachers think?* Santiago, Chile: The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria and Chile Committee for The Global Fund.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2018-Present: Law and Society Association

2018-Present: American Sociological Association

PUBLICATIONS IN POETRY

Concha, Rosario (2011). *Cleft lip*. Sarak Editions. Delhi, 2011

Concha, Rosario. *Frente al Fuego*, Ediciones del Temple, 2001.

Concha, Rosario; In 3 Anthologies of Poetry:

- Zurita, Raúl (Editor). *Cantares: Nuevas Voces de la Poesía Chilena*. LOM, 2004.
- *Anthología: Treinta Poetas Jóvenes*. University of Playa Ancha Press, 2003. Print.
- *Anthología Poema-Sorta Gernikaren Gainera. Rain of Poems over Guernica. Casa Grande*, 2005. Print.

Video-Art

Title: *Sleepless Prayer*. Delhi, 2010

Director: Alan Meller

Poems: Rosario Concha

For this piece, Professor Vibha Maurya from Delhi University translated several of my poems from *Cleft Lip* into Hindi.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Coordinator of the Gender Discussion Group for Ph.D. Sociology Students, University of Miami. Spring, 2019.

Fundamentals of NVIVO for Mac. Training on-line Course by GSR International, January 2019.

Preparing an Institutional Review Board (IRB) Protocol, University of Miami, February 2019.

Responsible Conduct of Research, University of Miami, August 2018.

Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (On-line CITI Program Training) Certification, University of Miami, February 2018

Workshop: Study of Chilean Documents of the Colonial Period, Department of Linguistics, University of Chile, Santiago, Chile, 2012.

Workshop: Analysis and Critique of Philosophical Texts, Pontificia Universidad Católica, Santiago, Chile, 2013

REFERENCES

Dr. Marissa Omori, Department of Sociology, University of Miami 5202 University Dr., 120D Coral Gables, FL 33146, momori@miami.edu, +1 (305) 2846172

Dr. John Murphy, Department of Sociology, University of Miami 5202 University Dr.,
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