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**EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Systematic Theology, Union Theological Seminary, New York, NY

M.Phil. Systematic Theology, Union Theological Seminary, New York, NY

M.A. Systematic Theology, Union Theological Seminary, New York, NY

B.A. Religion and Women's Studies (double major), Colgate University, Hamilton, NY

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**EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

***New Leadership Academy Fellows Program***

**2021 – 2022**

***University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT***

The NLA Fellows Program seeks to transform the expectations that surround leaders, leadership, and leadership development across higher education with a specific focus on the challenges associated with leading for equity, diversity, and inclusion. The learning strategies informing the fellowship experience challenge each cohort of Fellows to accept greater accountability for their own leadership choices, the influence they have on those they lead, the success of their institutions, and the integrity of the system of higher education. (In partnership with the American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education, Inc.)

***American Council on Education Regional Women's Leadership Forum***

**May 2014**

***University of Houston, Houston, TX***

Three-day leadership program for mid-level women administrators with high potential for advancement in higher education administration providing emerging women leaders with the opportunity to: hone leadership skills in critical areas of fundraising, risk management, crisis response and strategic planning; receive practical training, including curriculum vitae/résumé critiques and mock interviews; gain a better understanding of the search process for senior-level positions through candid conversations with search firm executives; and gain a better understanding of the inherent rewards and challenges of senior-level administrative positions, including the college or university presidency, through exposure to outstanding women leaders who share their experiences and serve as role models.

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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

***Director, Peace and Justice Studies Program***

**September 2005 – present**

***Iona College, New Rochelle, NY***

Responsible for all administrative duties related to managing an interdisciplinary academic program; maintain quality and integrity of the interdisciplinary studies curriculum; coordinate student recruitment, orientation, and other activities related to the program; lead and coordinate the College's assessment of the Peace and Justice Studies curriculum; develop and maintain collegiality among area faculty and students; teach foundational course in Peace and Justice Studies, rooted in Catholic Social Teaching; advise extra-curricular student organizations with community wide programming efforts; develop body of literature in the field through intentional library acquisitions.

***Department Chairperson***

**July 2016 – present**

***Professor, Religious Studies Department***

**July 2018 – present**

***Associate Professor, Religious Studies Department***

**July 2012 – June 2018**

***Assistant Professor, Religious Studies Department***

**September 2005 – June 2012**

***Iona College, New Rochelle, NY***

Responsible for all administrative duties related to managing an academic department; maintain quality and integrity of course offerings, including department involvement in Core Curriculum; coordinate student recruitment, orientation, and other activities related to the department; lead and coordinate the assessment of the Religious Studies Department; mentor and supervise six full-time and six adjunct faculty, including classroom observations, performance assessment and contract renewal/tenure process; develop interdisciplinary Environmental Studies major/minor, with Political Science and Biology Departments; develop body of literature in the field through library acquisitions.

***Consultant/Mentor, Forum for Theological Exploration***

**2006 – present**

***Decatur, GA***

The Forum for Theological Exploration (FTE) is a leadership incubator that inspires young people to make a difference in the world through Christian communities, providing resources, events, networks, grants and fellowships to cultivate tomorrow's leaders, pastors and theological educators. Serve as selection committee member for doctoral fellowships, as workshop faculty during summer session, and as alumni contact and mentor for current students; advise in strategic planning initiatives for current & potential programming/partnerships; develop curriculum for annual student conference.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (CONT'D)**

**Consultant/Mentor, Hispanic Theological Initiative** 2008 – present  
**Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ**

The Hispanic Theological Initiative (HTI) Consortium identifies and prepares highly trained educators and leaders who can articulate, model, and help teach values and ideas that will inform and make an impact in Latino faith communities and communities in general. Serve as selection committee member for doctoral fellowships & mentoring for Latinx students, as workshop faculty, and as alumni contact and mentor for current students; advise in strategic planning initiatives for current and potential programming and partnerships; develop curriculum for annual summer workshop.

**Assistant Director, Office of Campus Ministry** September 2012 – June 2014  
**Iona Preparatory School, New Rochelle, NY**

Worked with the Director of Campus Ministry to expand sites for students to fulfill annual community engagement and service requirement, including My Sisters' Place, Neighbor to Neighbor and The Sharing Shelf; planned and facilitated annual class retreats; organized worship services; maintained records of community service hours for all students; helped students organize inaugural "iPod Drive" to support seniors at The Wartburg Home with music therapy.

**Faculty, Taste of Seminary/Common Ground Project** July 2011  
**McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, IL**

Taste of Seminary is an ecumenical event for young adults of color interested in exploring a call to ministry among peers and church leaders. The week-long program included exposure to the four classic fields of theological education: Biblical Studies, Church History, Theology and Ministry. Developed and taught a four-hour course session for 25 participants on the study of theology, with an emphasis on theological method and pneumatology.

**Faculty, Hispanic Summer Program**  
**Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ** June 2010  
**Candler School of Theology, Atlanta, GA** June 2015  
**North Park Theological Seminary, Chicago, IL** June 2017  
**Union Theological Seminary, New York, NY (online)** June 2021

Two-week intensive graduate course for MA/MDiv/PhD seminary and theological school students, 3 credits. *Christian Sexual Ethics* (2010); *Christian Social Ethics and Contemporary Movements for Justice* (2015); *Latina Feminist Ethics and Contemporary Social Activism* (2017); *Environmental Racism and the Struggle for Ecological Justice* (2021).

**Assistant Director, Camp/Parent Communications** June 2001 – 2014  
**Mount Tom Day Camp, New Rochelle, NY**

**Manager, Telecommunication Operations** July 1988 – 1991  
**The Chase Manhattan Bank, New York, NY**

**GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS**

*Using a Multi-Cultural Relationship Perspective to Build an Anti-Racist Community of Belonging*. Funded by the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion (PI \$5K) July 2021 – June 2022.

*Becoming Anti-Racist and Catalysts for Change: Symposium Grant*. Funded by the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion (PI \$1.5K) November 2020 – June 2021.

*Expanding the Latinx Vision of Borderlands at ATS Member Schools*. Funded by the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion (Co-PI \$100K) July 2020 – June 2022.

*Pedagogies of Community Engagement: Puerto Rico*. Funded by the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion (PI \$5K) July 2017 – June 2019.

*Academic Innovation Grant: Religion and the Environmental Crisis in Puerto Rico*. Funded by Iona College (PI \$1.5K) 2017 – 2019.

*Service/Learning Grant: Peace and Social Justice against Human Trafficking*. Funded by Iona College (PI \$1.5K) 2014 – 2015.

*First Book Grant for Minority Scholars: Loving Sex Latina/mente*. Funded by the Louisville Institute (PI \$40K) 2011 – 2013.

Dissertation Fellowship, *Hispanic Theological Initiative*, 2001 – 2002.

Daniel Day Williams Fellowship (for Outstanding Work in Theology), *Union Theological Seminary*, 2000 – 2001.

Doctoral Fellowship, *Fund for Theological Education*, 1994 – 1996.

Ph.D. Fellowship, *Union Theological Seminary*, 1993 – 1996.

Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, *Ford Foundation*, 1991 – 1994.

**COLLOQUIA & CONSULTATIONS ON HIGHER EDUCATION**

*Becoming Anti-Racist and Catalysts for Change: Virtual Symposium Using Mobilization Pedagogy*, a symposium sponsored and funded by the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion, November 2020 – June 2021.

*Race Critical Consciousness for Transformative Theological Education*, a colloquy sponsored and funded by the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion, January 2018 – January 2020.

*Current and Future Directions in Theological Education*, a consultation funded by the Henry Luce Foundation, Principal investigator: Dr. David Mellott (Lancaster Theological Seminary), June 2017 – January 2020.

*Catholicism and the Common Good*, a Research Fellows Colloquium funded by the Henry Luce Foundation, Principal investigator: Dr. Darlene Weaver (Duquesne University), November 2017 – June 2020.

**WORKS IN PROGRESS**

“Loving Sex: A Decolonial Theology of the Body,” initially funded by the Louisville Institute First Book Grant for Minority Scholars; anticipated completion: December 2022.

“A Clean Plate is a Happy Plate: Lessons my children taught me about putting love first,” anticipated completion: December 2021.

**PUBLICATIONS**

“Summer Solstice,” (poetry) in *Unruly Catholic Feminists: Prose, Poetry, and the Future of the Faith*. Jeana DelRosso, Leigh Eicke, and Ana Kothe, eds. New York: SUNY Press, forthcoming 2021.

“And Still Swimming: Women, Religion and the Legacy of Marilyn Thie and Wanda Warren Berry,” in *Women and Religion, Philosophy and Feminism: The Colgate Heritage in Honor of Professors Marilyn Thie and Wanda Warren Berry*, Christopher Vecsey, ed. Hamilton, NY: Colgate University Press, 2019.

“For the Beauty of the World: The Moral Imaginary of Martin Luther King, Jr.’s World House,” with Dr. Victor Anderson (Vanderbilt University), *Reclaiming the Great World House in the 21st Century: Cross-Disciplinary Explorations of the Vision of Martin Luther King, Jr.*, Vicki L. Crawford and Lewis V. Baldwin, eds. Athens, GA: University of Georgia Press, 2019.

“Accountable to the Ancestors,” response to Rebecca T. Peters, *Trust Women: A Progressive Christian Argument for Reproductive Justice* (Beacon Press, 2018) *Syndicate Theology Online*, April 2019. <https://syndicate.network/symposia/theology/trust-women/>

“US Latino/a Contributions to the Field: Retrospect and Prospect,” with Rubén Rosario Rodríguez, María Teresa Dávila and Victor Carmona, *Journal of the Society of Christian Ethics*. Volume 38, No. 2, Fall/Winter 2018.

“Symposium - *A Puerto Rican Decolonial Theology: Prophecy Freedom*,” with M.T. Dávila, M. Pagán, M. Lee, N. Pineda-Madrid, *Horizons* 45 (2), 412-433.

“A Letter to the Trump Administration,” in *American Values, Religious Voices: 100 Days. 100 Letters*. Andrea L. Weiss and Lisa M. Weinberger, eds. Cincinnati, OH: University of Cincinnati Press, 2018.

*A Puerto Rican Decolonial Theology: Prophecy Freedom*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2017.

“On Cornerstones: teaching social justice as a theological value...after #Charlottesville,” *Teaching, Religion, Politics*, a blog of the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion, August 24, 2017. <https://www.wabashcenter.wabash.edu/2017/08/cornerstones-teaching-social-justice-theological-valueafter-charlottesville/>

“Managing Heated Debate on Politics and Religion,” *Teaching, Religion, Politics*, a blog of the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion, March 23, 2017 (<https://www.wabashcenter.wabash.edu/2017/03/managing-heated-debate-on-politics-and-religion/>)

“Op-Ed – an open letter in opposition to the nomination of Jefferson Beauregard Sessions III as Attorney General,” in *Sojourners* (online), January 10, 2017.

“A Tribute to Ada María Isasi-Díaz,” in a published accompaniment to *Face to Face, with women on the forefront of history*, a photography/art installation by Renée Monrose, New York: The Burke Library/Union Theological Seminary, 2016.

“A Word,” in *Soul Sisters: Devotions for and from African American, Latina, and Asian Women*, Suzan Johnson Cook, ed. New York: TarcherPerigee (an imprint of Penguin Random House LLC), 2016.

“On Authority, Empowerment and Shelf-Life,” *Journal of Feminist Studies in Religion*, 32.1, Spring 2016.

**PUBLICATIONS (CONT'D)**

- “Metaphor for Teaching: Good Teaching is Like Good Sex,” *Teaching Theology and Religion*, Vol. 18, Issue 3, July 2015, 224-232.
- “Wading into Dangerous Waters: a review of Anna Mercedes’s *Power For: Feminism and Christ’s Self-Giving*,” *Syndicate Theology Online*, July 2015. <https://syndicatetheology.com/symposium/power-for/>
- Augustine and Social Justice*. Teresa Delgado, John Doody and Kim Paffenroth, eds. Lanham, MA: Lexington Books/Rowman and Littlefield, 2015.
- “Beyond Procreativity: Heterosexuals Queering Marriage,” in *Queer Christianities: Lived Religion in Transgressive Forms*. Kathleen Talvacchia, Mark Larrimore and Michael Pettinger, eds. New York: New York University Press, 2014.
- “Hagar,” in *Encyclopedia of the Bible and its Reception, Vol. 10*, ed. Hans-Josef Klauk, et.al. Berlin/New York: Walter de Gruyter, 2014.
- “A Delicate Dance: Utilizing and Challenging the Sexual Doctrine of the Catholic Church in Support of LGBTIQ Persons,” in *More Than a Monologue: Sexual Diversity and the Catholic Church, Vol. 1: Voices of Our Times*. Christine Firer Hinze and J. Patrick Hornbeck II, eds. New York: Fordham University Press, 2014.
- “Margaret A. Farley: The Embrace of Love and Justice,” in *National Catholic Reporter*, October 2013.
- “Dead in the Water... Again,” in *Theological Perspectives for Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness: Public Intellectuals for the 21st Century*. Ada María Isasi-Díaz†, Mary McClintock Fulkerson and Rosemary Carbine, eds. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2013.
- “A Journey toward Wholeness, A Journey to God: Physical Fitness as Embodied Spirituality,” co-authored with Dr. Tracey C. Greenwood (Eastern University), *The Journal of Religion and Health*, October 2011.
- “This is my body...given for you: Theological Anthropology Latina/mente,” in *Frontiers in Catholic Feminist Theology: Shoulder to Shoulder*. Susan Abraham and Elena Procaro-Foley, eds. Minneapolis, MN: Fortress Press, 2009.
- “Freedom is Our Own: Toward a Puerto Rican Emancipation Theology,” in *Creating Ourselves: African Americans and Hispanic Americans on Popular Culture and Religious Expression*. Benjamín Valentín and Anthony B. Pinn, eds. Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2009.
- “Prophecy Freedom: Puerto Rican Women’s Literature as a Source for Latina Feminist Theology,” in *A Reader in Latina Feminist Theology: Religion and Justice*. María Pilar Aquino, Daisy Machado and Jeanette Rodríguez, eds. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press, 2002.
- “Calling All Wild Women: Reflections on the Wilderness, Luke 4:1-13” in *The Book of Women’s Sermons: Hearing God in Each Other’s Voices*. Lee Hancock, ed. Maryknoll, NY: Orbis Books, 1999.

**PRESENTATIONS**

- “Puerto Rico & the Epiphany Insurrection: White Supremacy & the Task of Decolonial Theology,” Visiting Scholar for Women and U.S. Liberation Theologies, with Dr. Rosemary Carbine (online), Whittier College, May 13, 2021 (Whittier, CA)
- “Hidden Burdens and Success Stories of Latinx Faculty Members,” Invited panel presenter, *Conference on Latinx Faculty Development and Academic Leadership*, The Pennsylvania State University, Harrisburg, April 9, 2021 (online)
- “Challenging Institutional Catholicism through Latinx Listening Sessions and Empowerment,” Invited panel presenter, UN Commission on the Status of Women 64, sponsored by the Women’s Ordination Conference, *Escuchando a las Mujeres*, March 16, 2021 (online)
- “Puerto Rico & Charlottesville: White Supremacy & the Task of Decolonial Theology,” “How to be a Community of Solidarity in the Face of White Supremacy,” and “Send Them Back? Puerto Rico, Charlottesville, and the Task of Decolonial Theology,” Visiting Scholar (online), sponsored by the Shannon Chair in Catholic Studies, Nazareth College, October 15 – 16, 2020 (Rochester, NY)
- “Celibacy, Purity and Holiness: Challenging the Sexual Doctrine of the Roman Catholic Church,” Presenter, Symposium on the *Sex Abuse Crisis in the Catholic Church: Reckoning, Repentance, Renewal*, Iona College, March 13, 2019 (New Rochelle, NY)
- “Critical Theological Reflections on Gender, Sexuality and Lived Religious Experience,” Invited panel presenter, Status of LGBTIQ & Queer Persons in the Profession Committee, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 18, 2018 (Denver, CO)
- “Theologies of Connection and Identity across the Latino/a/x Americas,” Invited respondent, Religions in the Latino/a Americas Unit, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 17, 2018 (Denver, CO)

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- “Reimagining Decolonial Futures: Puerto Rico, God-talk and Seeking the Common Good,” Visiting Scholar keynote lecturer, sponsored by the Koch Chair for Catholic Thought and Latino/Latin-American Studies Program, College of St. Benedict/St. John’s University, September 20, 2018 (St. Joseph, MN)
- “Let Them Starve: Colonization of Puerto Rico, Past and Present Diaspora,” Keynote lecturer for Herencia Lecture Series, Princeton Theological Seminary, April 13, 2018 (Princeton, NJ)
- “Women and Religion, Philosophy and Feminism,” Invited panel presenter for symposium in honor of Professors Marilyn Thie and Wanda Warren Berry, Colgate University, April 12, 2018 (Hamilton, NY)
- “Prophesying our Story after Hurricane María: A Puerto Rican Decolonial Theology,” Invited lecturer, St. John’s University, March 16, 2018 (Queens, NY)
- “Women and Vulnerability in the Academy,” Invited panel presenter, sponsored by the Status of Women in the Profession Committee, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 19, 2017 (Boston, MA)
- “The Puerto Rican Story: Colonized Other or Decolonized Self after María,” Invited panel presenter, *Puerto Rico and Maria: Histories and Vulnerabilities in the Eye of the Storm*, sponsored by Latino/a Religion, Culture and Society Interest Group and *La Comunidad*, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 19, 2017 (Boston, MA)
- “The Power of Story: Literature as a Source of Decolonizing Theology,” Invited presenter, Colgate University, October 5, 2017 (Hamilton, NY)
- “The Ethics of Precision Medicine: Considerations for the Aging,” Invited presenter, New Rochelle Cares/Age in Place, May 23, 2017 (New Rochelle, NY)
- “Love, Joy & Sex: Reflections on Pope Francis’ *Amoris Laetitia* in a Divided Church,” Invited panel presenter, Center for World Catholicism and Intercultural Theology, DePaul University, March 30, 2017 (Chicago, IL)
- “Encounters with the Liberative Christ,” Invited panel presenter, sponsored by the Latino/a Ethics Interest Group and African American Working Group, Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting, January 6, 2017 (New Orleans, LA)
- “Catholic Women Confront their Church: Stories of Hurt and Hope,” Panel presentation on the occasion of the Rowman and Littlefield publication of Celia V. Wexler’s book, which profiles ten Catholic women (T. Delgado included), sponsored by Dignity NYC and Union Theological Seminary, December 6, 2016 (New York, NY)
- “Theological Voices of Puerto Rico: A People, an Island, Their Hopes, and Their Challenge,” Presenter, Moral Theology Session, Catholic Theological Society of America Annual Meeting, June 10, 2016 (San Juan, PR)
- “Beyond Procreativity: Reconsidering Catholic Sexual Ethics in the 21st century,” Keynote Lecturer for LGBTQ Awareness Week, School of Arts and Letters, Saint Francis University, March 10, 2016 (Loretto, PA)
- “Loving Sex *Latinamente*: Exploring a Relevant Catholic Sexual Ethic through the Lens of a Latino/a Experience,” Invited Lecturer, Spring Academy of Religion Series, The College of Wooster, April 2, 2015 (Wooster, OH)
- “Racing to Justice: Elements to Building a Fair and Inclusive Community,” Presenter, Spring Diversity Colloquia, Office of Multicultural Relations, Princeton Theological Seminary, March 18, 2015 (Princeton, NJ)
- “Doing Justice Differently: An Act of Transformation,” Presenter, Spring Diversity Colloquia, Office of Multicultural Relations and Navigating the Waters Project, Princeton Theological Seminary, March 18, 2015 (Princeton, NJ)
- “The Challenge of Teresa the Apostle,” Presenter, Iona Spirituality Institute conference, *Teresa Vive! A celebration of an enduring life*, Iona College, March 6, 2015 (New Rochelle, NY)
- “Religion and Politics in the American South,” Presenter, LIRIC (Learning in Retirement at Iona College) Lecture Series, Iona College, February 27, 2015 (New Rochelle, NY)
- “So few and far between: Women’s aspirations for leadership in academia,” Presenter, sponsored by the Women's Studies Program *And It's Only Tuesday* Lecture Series, Iona College, December 2, 2014 (New Rochelle, NY)
- “The Discourses of Double-Talk: A Challenge to Justice and Love,” Panel presenter with Dr. John Bowlin, Fall Diversity Colloquia (Navigating the Waters Project), Princeton Theological Seminary, November 12, 2014 (Princeton, NJ)
- “Institutional Bias and the Christian Basis for Equality of Opportunity,” Panel presenter with Dr. Samuel Cruz & Dr. Anne Joh, Fall Diversity Colloquia, Princeton Theological Seminary, November 12, 2014 (Princeton, NJ)
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**PRESENTATIONS (CONT'D)**

- “Journey to Liberation: The Legacy of Womanist Theology and Ethics at Union Theological Seminary,” Panel presenter with Rev. Dr. Katie Geneva Cannon, poet Sonia Sanchez and others for premiere of *Journey to Liberation: A film* by Anika Gibbons, Union Theological Seminary, April 7, 2014 (New York, NY)
- “Teaching ‘Straight’ Sexuality and Gender in Religious Studies,” Panel presentation for collaborative session (Women & Religion Section, Gay Men & Religion Group, Lesbian Feminist Issues in Religion Group, Men/Masculinities & Religion Group, Womanist Approaches to Religion & Society Group, Women of Color Scholarship, Teaching & Activism Group, Religion & Sexuality Group), American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 24, 2013 (Baltimore, MD)
- “On Strays and Domesticity: Catholic Sexual Ethics outside the Biblical Gate,” Panel presentation on *Latino/a Theology and the Bible*, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 19, 2012 (Chicago, IL)
- “Dead in the Water: The Economic Crisis, the New Slavery and the American Dream,” Panel presentation for publication of *Theological Perspectives for Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness: Public Intellectuals for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*. (Isasi-Diaz, McClintock Fulkerson and Carbine, eds.) American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 18, 2012 (Chicago, IL)
- “Marriage Beyond Procreativity: Solidarity Between LGBTIQ Catholics and their Catholic Heterosexual Allies,” Panel presentation for conference, Queer Christianities, The New School, March 24, 2012 (New York, NY)
- “Loving Sex Latina/mente: The Reality of God through the Healing of Broken Embodiment,” The Gerhart Lecture in Theology, Lancaster Theological Seminary, March 22, 2012 (Lancaster, PA)
- “Our Story, God’s Story: Constructing Latin@ Theology Outside the Biblical Gate,” The Orlando E. Costas Lectureship in Latino/a Theology, Andover Newton Theological School, October 11, 2011 (Newton Centre, MA)
- “Learning to Listen: Voices of Sexual Diversity and the Catholic Church,” Panel presentation for inaugural conference of the *More than a Monologue* series, Fordham University, Lincoln Center, September 16, 2011 (New York, NY)
- “The Impact of Diversity on Scholarship, Pedagogy and University Climate,” Diversity and the Future of the Professoriate, Conference sponsored by the Princeton University Graduate School’s Office of Academic Affairs and Diversity, Princeton University, November 2010 (Princeton, NJ)
- “Scars on the Landscape: Cartography of my body,” Convening of Multi-Faith Women Leaders envisioning a progressive social agenda, sponsored by Auburn Theological Seminary, January 13, 2010 (Abiquiu, NM)
- “Sex and the Church,” Panel presentation of Protestant and Catholic theologians/ethicists regarding sexuality and theological education, Union Theological Seminary, October 9, 2009 (New York, NY)
- “Womanism: Past, Present and Future,” Panel presentation honoring African American womanist scholars Rev. Dr. Jacquelyn Grant, Rev. Dr. Katie G. Cannon and Dr. Delores S. Williams, Union Theological Seminary, February 25, 2009 (New York, NY)
- “Abortion and the Limits of Liberal Tolerance,” Workgroup on Constructive Theology Annual Meeting, Vanderbilt University, April 19, 2008 (Nashville, TN)
- “Double Crossed: Human trafficking, AIDS and the self-sacrifice of Latina and African-American women,” Womanist Approaches to Religion and Society Group, multi-ethnic/racial panel on womanist theology/ethics and the signification of women’s bodies, American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting, November 17, 2007, (San Diego, CA)
- “Rituals of Survival: Puerto Rican women’s spirituality and religiosity as reflected in their literary production in the United States,” Paper, College Theology Society Annual Meeting, University of San Diego, May 1997 (San Diego, CA)

**PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP & MEMBERSHIP**

- President, Board of Trustees, *WESPAC (Westchester People’s Action Coalition) Foundation*, 2011 – 2019.
- Chairperson, Academic Mission and Programs Committee, Board of Trustees, *Colgate University*, 2019 – present.
- Member, Academic Mission and Programs Committee, Board of Trustees, *Colgate University*, 2016 – present.
- Member, Nominations and Governance Committee, Board of Trustees, *Colgate University*, 2016 – present.
- Member, Board of Trustees, *The Ursuline School*, 2021 – present.
- Steering Committee Member (2009 – 2015); Curriculum Committee/Mentor (2009 – present), *Hispanic Theological Initiative*.
- Mentoring Consortium Member, *Forum for Theological Exploration*, 2010 – present.
- Advisory Board, *Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion*, 2017 – present.
- Director, Early Career Latinx Religion Faculty, *Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion*, 2020 – 2021.

**PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP & MEMBERSHIP (CONT'D)**

Editorial Board, *Journal of Hispanic/Latino Theology*, 2018 – 2021.  
 Co-Convener, Ethics and Sexualities Interest Group, *Society of Christian Ethics*, 2009 – 2018.  
 Vice President, *La Comunidad* (an affiliated association of the *American Academy of Religion*), 2011 – 2015.  
 Secretary, Alumni/ae Council, *Union Theological Seminary*, 2010 – 2015.  
*American Academy of Religion*, 2004 – present.  
*Society of Christian Ethics*, 2010 – present.  
*Society of Senior Ford Foundation Fellows*, 2018 – present.  
*Workgroup in Constructive Theology*, 2006 – 2020.  
*Catholic Theological Society of America*, 2010 – 2019.  
 ACHTUS (Association of Catholic Hispanic Theologians in the United States), 2016 – present.

**HONORS**

Senior Faculty Award, Faculty Senate, *Iona College*, 2021.  
 Shannon Chair in Catholic Studies, Visiting Scholar, *Nazareth College*, 2020.  
*Unitas* Distinguished Alumni/ae Award, *Union Theological Seminary*, 2019.  
 Koch Chair in Catholic Thought, Visiting Scholar, *College of St. Benedict/St. John's University*, 2018.  
 Woman of Achievement Award, *Iona College*, 2018.  
 Master Teacher and Lecturer Award, *Iona College*, 2018.  
 Br. William Cornelia Distinguished Faculty Award, *Iona College*, 2013.  
 Hugh McCabe Award for Social Justice, *Iona College*, 2010.  
 Colgate Alumni Corporation 1819 Award, *Colgate University*, 1988.  
*Phi Beta Kappa* Honor Society, 1988.

**SERVICE**

Chairperson, Committee on Budget, *Iona College*, 2019 – present.  
 Self-Study Working Group, Standard I, Middle States Commission on Higher Education, *Iona College*, 2020 – present.  
 Committee on Honorary Degrees, *Iona College*, 2020 – present.  
 Committee on Rank, Tenure and Awards, *Iona College*, 2014 – 2021.  
 Catholic Intellectual Tradition Committee, *Iona College*, 2017 – present.  
 Student Life Diversity Committee, *Iona College*, 2016 – 2020.  
 Week of the Peacemaker Planning Committee, *Iona College*, 2013 – present.  
 Search Committee, Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs, *Iona College*, 2017 – 2018.  
 Search Committee, Chemistry Department, *Iona College*, 2015 – 2017.  
 Search Committee, Philosophy Department, *Iona College*, 2016 – 2017.  
 Search Committee, Speech Communication Studies, *Iona College*, 2015 – 2016.  
 Search Committee, Fine and Performing Arts, *Iona College*, 2014 – 2015, 2018 – 2020.  
 Faculty Advisor, *Bailando con Sazón*, *Iona College*, 2019 – present.  
 Faculty Advisor, Lambda Theta Alpha Sorority, *Iona College*, 2018 – present.  
 Faculty Advisor, Students for Peace, *Iona College*, 2010 – 2015.  
 Faculty Advisor, Hispanic Organization for Latin Awareness (HOLA), *Iona College*, 2005 – 2015.  
 Strategic Plan Committee on Diversity, *Iona College*, 2014 – 2017.  
 Strategic Plan Committee on Comprehensive Program Review, *Iona College*, 2013 – 2014.  
 Strategic Plan Committee on Core Curriculum Review, *Iona College*, 2013.  
 Committee on Academic Affairs, *Iona College*, 2012 – 2014, 2021 – 2023.  
 Co-Chair, Week of the Peacemaker Planning Committee, *Iona College*, 2006 – 2013, 2021.  
 Faculty Senate, *Iona College*, 2008 – 2011.  
 Freshman Advisement, *Iona College*, 2007 – 2011.  
 Committee on Athletics, *Iona College*, 2007 – 2010.  
 External Reviewer, Womanist Approaches to the Study of Religion Unit, *American Academy of Religion*, 2021.  
 Steering Committee, Women and Religion Unit, *American Academy of Religion*, 2017 – 2019.  
 External Reviewer, Latina/o Religion, Culture, and Society Unit, *American Academy of Religion*, 2016.

**LANGUAGES**

Conversational Spanish; reading knowledge of Spanish and French.

*REFERENCES*

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