

Johanna B. Maes, Ph.D.

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ACADEMIC DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES

- Ph.D.** Education Leadership and Human Resource Studies
Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO., 2011
Dissertation title: *“The Socio-cultural and Leadership Experiences of Latina Four-Year College and University Presidents: A Través de sus Voces (Through their Voices).”*
Adviser: Dr. Timothy Gray Davies
GPA: 3.89
- M.Ed.** Education- Emphasis in Multicultural Education
Regis University, Denver, CO., 2000
Thesis Title: *“Factors Affecting the Educational Attainment of Latina Adolescents.”*
GPA: 4.0
- B.S.** News Editorial Journalism
Minor- Ethnic Studies
University of Colorado Boulder, 1992
- Certificate** Executive Leadership Program, Harvard University
Kennedy School of Government, 2004
- Certificate** Executive Leadership Program, Center for Creative Leadership, 2004

HIGHER EDUCATION PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Director**
2019-present
- Master of Arts in Higher Education Program (MAHE)**
School of Education
University of Colorado Boulder
- Provide administrative oversight on the MA program to include student and faculty retention and recruitment, forming and maintaining on and off-campus partnerships for student practicum, advising students and teaching courses designed to cater to the working professional who are interested in furthering their knowledge and becoming credentialed in the field of higher education.

**Director
2021-present**

**Multicultural Leadership Scholars Program (MLS)
School of Education
University of Colorado Boulder**

Recruit, advise, and retain undergraduate student participants who are BIPOC, first-generation college students who participate in a cohort-based, multicultural social-justice leadership program; recruit, hire, and manage four-member instructional staff; manage program budget; interface with campus leaders for sustainability of program.

**Teaching
Professor
2017-present**

**School of Education
University of Colorado Boulder**

Research and scholarship on topics including: race/equity/leadership in higher education, history of higher education, women in leadership, service learning and social justice. Advise undergraduate and graduate students.

**Affiliate Faculty
2019-present**

**Department of Ethnic Studies
University of Colorado Boulder**

Research and scholarship on topics including Chicanas/os in Education, Chicana Feminisms, Chicana/o History and Culture.

**Instructor
2010-2017**

**Chancellor's Leadership Residential Academic Program/Ethnic Living
and Learning Community;**

**Department of Ethnic Studies
University of Colorado Boulder**

Research and scholarship on topics including: multicultural leadership development, multicultural education, race/ethnicity/privilege, Chicana/o Studies, Chicana Feminism, women in leadership, writing composition, service learning and social justice. Advise undergraduate students. Serve as faculty advisor for independent study projects and honors theses.

**Graduate Research
Assistant
2009-2011**

School of Education, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO

Editorial team coordinator of the *Advances in Developing Human Resource (ADHR)* scholarly journal- collaborate with a 45-member international editorial board, editing articles and journal issues while collaborating with publisher on quality control of ADHR.

**Assistant Dean
of Student Life
2006-2009**

Metropolitan State University of Denver, Denver, CO

Provide administrative oversight to the Directors of the University's *Office of Student Media* (student newspaper, television news broadcast, radio station, and literary publication) the *Auraria Campus GLBT Student Services Department*, and the *Student Conflict Resolution Program* which includes student and staff recruitment, supervision, and providing program directors with guidance, leadership, and programming recommendations to ensure that they are aligned with the University and the Auraria Campus strategic plans.

Director of the *Student Problem Action Network (SPAN)*, the University's student advocacy program.

Serve as *Assistant Judicial Officer* to ensure that all Metro State students are in compliance with the University's Student Code of Conduct.

Creator of Metro State University's first Student Food Bank which involved staff hiring and supervision, fundraising, fund development and community partnerships.

Supervisor of five full-time professional staff and five student staff members.

**Director
1999-2006**

**Pre-Collegiate Development Program (PCDP)
University of Colorado Boulder**

Manager of the University's premier outreach program that serves over 750 first generation, underrepresented students and their parents from over 50 Denver metro area schools.

Manager of a \$400,000 program budget which includes research, grant writing, and program evaluation.

Supervisor of 44 faculty and staff who deliver the program mission and goals.

Strategic program developer and evaluator of all PCDP completion/college preparatory programs, and the overall conceptual creator of the one, two and five-week PCDP Summer Academic Residential Programs.

Academic advisor for undergraduate students enrolled in the McNeill Academic Program where partnerships were formed between Departments of Admissions, Financial Aid, Advising, and Student Affairs to support student achievement.

Edited Books

- Aldama, A., **Maes, J.B.**, Gomez, J.D. (In progress). Towards Educational Liberation for Latine/x/o Youth: An Intersectional Approach, *University of Arizona Press*.
- Sandoval-Lucero, E., **Maes, J.B.** Eds. (2019). Case Studies in Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Higher Education: An Intersectional Perspective, *Kendall Hunt Publishers*.
- Pratt-Clarke, M., **Maes, J.B.** Eds. (2017). Journeys of Social Justice: Women of Color Presidents in the Academy. *Black Studies and Critical Thinking Book Series*, *Peter Lang International Academic Publishers*.

Book Chapters

- Maes, J.B.** (2019). Navigating the Perils of Emotional Labor: A Chicana Faculty perspective at a Predominately White Institution (PWI). In Case Studies in Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Higher Education: An Intersectional Perspective, *Kendall Hunt Publishers*.
- Maes, J.B.**, (2017). Reflections about Latina/Chicana leadership in the Academy. In Journeys of Social Justice: Women of Color Presidents in the Academy. *Black Studies and Critical Thinking Book Series*, *Peter Lang International Academic Publishers*.

Refereed Journal Articles

- White, T., Sandoval-Lucero, E., & **Maes, J. B.** (In press). How can I improve if I don't get feedback? In S. Payne Gold (Ed.). *Instructional scenarios of multiple identities in higher education*. Washington D. C.: NASPA Student Affairs in Higher Education.
- Sandoval-Lucero, E., **Maes, J.B.**, & Klingsmith, L. (2014). Latino and African American Community College Students: Counterstories, Social Capital, and Student Success. *College Student Journal*, 48(3), 522-533.
- Sandoval-Lucero, E. & **Maes, J.B.**, & Pappas, G. (2013). Action Research in a Non-profit Agency School Setting, Analyzing the Adoption of an Innovation after Initial Training, Coaching and Follow-Up. *Journal of Education and Learning*, 2, 1, 262-277.
- Sandoval-Lucero, E., & **Maes, J.B.** (2011). Examining the retention of Latina students in career-based learning communities. *Journal of Hispanic Higher Education*, 10, 4, 299-316.

Refereed Paper Presentations

- Maes, J.B.**, Yosso, T.; Castro-Barajas, M., Liou, D., Mora, F., Duran, L. (2023). "Community Cultural Wealth: A Live Literary Discourse on the Past, Present, and Future of CCW. Invited presentation at the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE), Minneapolis, MN.
- Maes, J.B.**, Jones, P.B., Marcantonio, S., May, B., (2016). "*The Ethnic Living and Learning Leadership Studies Program: Multicultural, Social Justice Leadership as a Context and Community for Educational Purpose, Student Success, and Social Change.*" Invited presentation at the National Conference on Race and Ethnicity in American Higher Education (NCORE), San Francisco, CA.

- Maes, J.B.,** Villalobos, P., Harris, K., (2015). *“Capacity Building and Community Engagement: Utilizing Multicultural Leadership Skills and Theories in a Nonprofit Setting.”* Invited presentation at the National Conference on Race and Ethnicity in American Higher Education (NCORE), Washington, DC.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2013). *“The Socio-cultural and Leadership Experiences of Latina Four-Year College and University Presidents: A Través de sus Voces (Through their Voices).”* Invited presentation at the International Leadership Association Women in Leadership Conference, Pacific Grove, CA.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2013). *“The Socio-cultural and Leadership Experiences of Latina Four-Year College and University Presidents: A Través de sus Voces (Through their Voices).”* Invited presentation at the Women in Leadership Conference at the University of Denver, Denver, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2012). *“The Socio-cultural and Leadership Experiences of Latina Four-Year College and University Presidents: A Través de sus Voces (Through their Voices).”* Invited presentation at the Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences, Honolulu, HI.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2012). *“The Socio-cultural and Leadership Experiences of Latina Four-Year College and University Presidents: A Través de sus Voces (Through their Voices).”* Invited presentation at the CU Women Succeeding Conference, Boulder, CO.

National and Local Invited Scholarly Presentations

- Maes, J.B.,** (2023). *Centering our voices through writing: The power of narratives and storytelling.* Invited keynote speaker at the Faculty Women of Color in Academia Conference. Arlington, VA.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2023). Invited keynote speaker at the University of Colorado Boulder Latinx Alumni Graduation Ceremony. Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2023). *The History of Higher Education in the United States.* Invited speaker at the Fulbright Conference at University of Colorado Boulder. Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2022). *The History of Los Seis de Boulder at CU-Boulder.* Invited presenter for the University of Colorado Boulder Office of the Registrar Staff Colloquium. Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2022). *Lifting as we climb: Exploring Chicanisma in a White University.* University of Colorado Boulder School of Education Ed Talk. Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2021). *Multicultural Leadership,* Leadership Frontiers- The Center for Leadership, University of Colorado Boulder, Featured presenter for a Podcast, Boulder CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2021). *Race and Memory in Local Histories: Creating a Podcast Influenced by Los Seis de Boulder,* Interviewed for a Podcast, Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2021). *The History of Los Seis de Boulder and the Renaming of the Cheyenne Arapaho Hall at CU-Boulder.* Invited presenter for the University of Colorado Boulder Department of Admissions Staff Colloquium. Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2019). *First Generation Students: Cultural Capital, Retention and Belonging-From Findings to Action.* Invited presenter for University of Colorado Boulder Arts and Sciences Advisers. Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2019). *Case Studies in Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Higher Education: An Intersectional Perspective.* Invited presenter at the Diversity and Inclusion Summit at the University of Colorado Boulder. Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.,** (2018). *Pathways to Leadership: A Panel of College and University Presidents.* Invited moderator at the Faculty Women of Color Conference at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. Blacksburg, VA.

- Maes, J.B.**, (2018). *Journeys of Social Justice: Women of Color in the Academy*. Invited presentation at the CU Women Succeeding Annual Professional Development Symposium. Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.**, (2018). *Multicultural Leadership: Recognizing the Power of Personal Stories*. Invited presentation at the Jefferson County Student Voice Leadership and Equity Conference, Boulder, CO.
- Maes, J.B.**, (2012). *Leadership in Education Panel Presentation*. Invited presentation at the Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HACU) Conference, Denver, CO.
- Maes, J.B.**, (2009). *Conflict Resolution Strategies: Dealing with Inappropriate Student Behavior*. Invited presentation at the Metropolitan State University Faculty Professional Development Conference, Denver, CO.
- Maes, J.B.**, (2008). *Keynote Presentation*. Invited presentation at the National Girls Incorporated Annual Conference, Denver, CO.
- Maes, J.B.**, (2006). *Keynote Presentation*. Invited presentation at the University of Northern Colorado Conference for young women, Greeley, CO.
- Maes, J.B.**, (1998). *Cultural Outreach Forum*. Invited presentation at the National Latino Children's Institute; San Antonio, TX.
- Maes, J.B.**, (1998). *Tips in Engaging Latino Parents in the Educational System*. Invited presentation at the La Promesa Conference for Latino Children and Youth, Breckenridge, CO.
- Maes, J.B.**, (1998). *Amigos de la Comunidad: A Successful Latino Parental Involvement Program*. Invited presentation at the Mattel Foundation's "Hand in Hand-Parents, Schools and Communities United for Kids" Conference, Washington, DC.
- Maes, J.B.**, (1998). *Creating a Successful Latino Parental Involvement Program*. Invited presentation at the Children's Defense Fund National Conference, Washington, DC.
- Maes, J.B.**, (1998). *Strategies for Retention and Success for Latino Students*. Invited presentation at the Celebrating Our Many Voices Conference, Aurora, CO.
- Maes, J.B.**, (1997). *Amigos de la Comunidad: A Successful Latino Parental Involvement Program*. Invited presentation at the National Latino Children's Institute La Promesa Conference, San Antonio, TX.

TEACHING, COURSE DEVELOPMENT AND ADVISING

Designed and taught the following undergraduate courses at the University of Colorado Boulder and at the University of Colorado Denver

ETHN	4106/5106	Topics in Ethnic Studies- Chicanas/os in Education
EDUC	5010	Race/Equity in Higher Education
EDUC	6919	Practicum-Education Foundations/Policy and Practice
EDUC	6250	Higher Education in America
LEAD	4000	Leadership in Context and Emerging Challenges: A Capstone
ETST	2000	Introduction to Ethnic Studies
INVST	3302	Facilitating Peaceful Community Change
WMST	3302	Facilitating Peaceful Community Change
LDSP	4932	Capacity Building and Community Engagement: Utilizing Multicultural Leadership Skills and Theories in a Nonprofit Setting
LDSP	3100	Multicultural Leadership: Theories, Principles and Practices
LDSP	2410	Understanding Privilege, Oppression and Liberation in US Contemporary Society
LDSP	1000/1001	Foundations of 21 st Century Leadership
LDSP	1571	Topics in Leadership-Deviant Behaviors in Leadership

LDSP	1571	Topics in Leadership-Charismatic Leadership
LDSP	1571	Topics in Leadership-Religious Cults in the United States
LDSP	1571	Topics in Leadership-Women in Leadership
ETHN	3136	Chicana Feminism and Knowledge
ETHN	3026	Chicanas in US Society
ETHN	2536	Survey of Chicana and Chicano History and Culture
ETHN	2014	Themes in American Culture- Latinos in Education, K-12 and Higher Education
ARSC	3650	Diversity Issues in Graduate Education
T ED	4800	Action Research for Instructional Teams
T ED	5000	Action Research for Instructional Teams II
ARSC	1000	Introduction to Expository Writing

Doctoral Dissertation Advisement

Dissertation Committee Member
Fall, 2024-present Jessica Flores, *TBA*, University of Colorado Boulder.

Dissertation Committee Member
Fall, 2023-present Marlene Palomar, *TBA*, University of Colorado Boulder.

Dissertation Committee Member
Fall, 2023-2025 Jacqueline Smilack, *Supporting Change Through the Co-Design Process*, University of Colorado Boulder.

Dissertation Committee Member
2020-2024 Jennifer Pacheco, *The Role of Dialogue in Promoting Anti-racist Practices in the Workplace*, University of Colorado Boulder.

Dissertation Committee Member
Fall, 2022-2024 Valeria Morales, *Discovering Nepantla, Self-Love & Radical Belonging: An Identity Development Curriculum for Precollegiate Students*, University of Colorado Denver.

Dissertation Committee Member
Fall, 2022-present Alexandra McGrath, *TBA*, University of Colorado Boulder.

Dissertation Committee Member
2020-2024 Derek LeFebre, *"Children of the Earth" and Schools for the Struggle: The Emergent "Neo-Mexicano" Tradition of Education, 1826-1941*, University of Colorado Boulder.

Dissertation Committee Member
2018-2021 Maria Castro-Barajas, *Transitioning Latinx, First-generation College Students for the University Through a Summer Bridge Program Utilizing their Community Cultural Wealth*, University of Colorado Denver.

Master's Thesis Advisement

Thesis Committee Member
Fall, 2016- 2020

Nikte H'a Contreras, *Emerging Resistant Capital in Elyria-Swansea: The Struggle Between Cultural Capital and Gentrification*, University of Colorado Denver.

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Advisement

Honors Thesis Committee Member
Spring, 2023

Anel Villalobos, *Mexican Americans and the Digitization of the Workforce*, University of Colorado Boulder College of Media, Communication, and Information.

Honors Thesis Committee Member
Fall, 2022

Lila Crank, *Until They Are All Home: Non-state Community Responses to the Crisis of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Relatives*, University of Colorado Boulder Department of Ethnic Studies.

Honors Thesis Committee Member
Spring, 2022

Maria Martinez, *The Life and Leadership of Adrienne Benavidez*; University of Colorado Boulder Department of Ethnic Studies.

Honors Thesis Committee Member
Spring, 2021

Laura-Elena Porras Holguin, *Non-profits Creating Bridges: A Relationship Between Organizations and the Immigrant Population in the State of Colorado*; University of Colorado Boulder Department of Sociology.

Honors Thesis Committee Member
Spring, 2020

Fatima Tensun, *Quality of Parent Child Interactions within Different Book Contexts*; University of Colorado Boulder Department of Psychology.

Honors Thesis Committee Member
Spring, 2019

'Ilima Umbhau, *Examining Intersections between the Marshall Court and Indigenous American Literature: How Law Affects Identity in John Rollin Ridge's Joaquín Murieta*; University of Colorado Boulder Department of English.

Honors Thesis Committee Member,
Spring, 2019

Taisa Boguslavsky, *The Effect of Experimenter Imposed Delays on Young Children's Inhibitory Control*; University of Colorado Boulder Department of Psychology.

Honors Thesis Committee Member,
Fall, 2017

Amber Bunner, *We Just Want to Do a Good Job with Them: A Multilevel Approach to Kindergarten Readiness*; University of Colorado Boulder Department of Sociology.

Honors Thesis Chair; Fall, 2013

Brittni Hernandez, *The Socio-educational experiences of first and second generation Latina past or current students from the University of Colorado Boulder, 2002-2012*; University of Colorado Boulder, Department of Ethnic Studies.

**Honors Thesis
Committee
Member; Fall, 2013**

Jason Romero Jr., *Mi Familia, My Family*, a qualitative narrative describing three generations of a Chicano family residing in northern New Mexico and southern Colorado; University of Colorado Boulder Department of Ethnic Studies.

Supervisor of Undergraduate Independent Study and Research Projects

Summer, 2021

McNair Scholars Program- Sierra Williams, Supervised the creation of *The Analysis of the Peer Counseling Component of the University of Colorado System Pre-Collegiate Development Programs*

Spring, 2014

ETHN 3841-Laura Malaver, Supervised the creation of a scholarly magazine *Performing Narratives: Exploring Identities of Queer and Trans Latina/o and Chicana/o Communities*

Fall, 2013

ETHN 3841-Gloria Cazares, Supervised a comprehensive literature review collection which involved searching for research on first generation Latina/Mexicana college students and their higher education pursuits as they experience emotional difficulties with their mothers

Fall, 2012

ETHN 3841-Chelsea Jewell, Supervised a comprehensive literature review collection which involved searching for research on parental and community involvement initiatives specifically for Chicanas in K-8

UNIVERSITY SERVICE ON COUNCILS, COMMITTEES, AND TASK FORCES

**University of Colorado
Boulder
School of Education
2022-present**

Serve on the following committees: Undergraduate Leadership Council, Chancellor's Postdoctoral Committee, Building Committee

**University of Colorado
Boulder
2022-present**

Serve on the Marketing and Communications Advisory Board for the Office of Strategic Relations and Communication

**University of Colorado
Boulder
2022-present**

Serve on the White Antelope Memorial/First Nation's Program and Scholarship Committee

**University of Colorado
Boulder,
1999-present**

Collaborating member of the *CU LEAD (Leadership, Education, Advocacy, and Diversity) Alliance* where participants provide input to the Chancellors on enrollment, educational and curricular initiatives to increase and maintain student, faculty, and staff diversity on the CU Boulder campus.

University of Colorado Boulder, 2019-present	Collaborating member of <i>CU Boulder Center for Leadership</i> where participants from 23 Leadership programs collaborate on programming and curricular initiatives for the students on the CU Boulder campus.
University of Colorado Boulder, 2018-present	Collaborating member of <i>CU Engage Executive Committee</i> where we coordinate organizational, programmatic and fiscal responsibilities for all CU Engage programs.
Metropolitan State University of Denver, 2006-09	<p>Collaborating creator of the <i>Auraria Alcohol Policy</i>- a tri-institutional plan focusing on prevention, intervention and alcohol education programs for Auraria students.</p> <p>Member of the <i>Auraria Campus Safety Committee</i> where we secured a \$500,000 federal grant to support a tri-institutional victim's service initiative on the Auraria Campus.</p> <p>Collaborating member of the <i>Auraria Higher Education Emergency Plan Committee</i> where we designed tri-institutional processes and procedures for campus emergencies and evacuations.</p> <p>Advisory Board member: Center for Nonprofit Organization Administration The Institute of Women's Studies and Services Metro State Alumni Magazine Metro State Diversity Initiatives</p> <p>Participated in and/or served as Chair in fourteen professional staff search processes.</p>

INDEPENDENT EDUCATIONAL CONSULTING, TRAINING AND FACILITATION

YWCA of Boulder County

Curriculum developer, staff trainer, and program advisor for the YWCA of Boulder County Reading to End Racism Program, Latina Achievement Program, and the YWCA Board of Directors. (2015, 2016)

Metropolitan State University Of Denver

External Evaluator of the Metropolitan State University of Denver's Teacher Training Program/Career Ladder Project-a teacher preparation program designed for bilingual paraprofessionals who are earning their bachelor's degree while working in the Denver Public School system. (2011, 2012, and 2013)

Laradon Hall

External Consultant for Laradon Hall, a non-profit organization serving developmentally disabled individuals- teaching faculty, staff and paraprofessionals action research theories and practical applications for classroom projects. (2010)

Conducted Diversity and Equity Trainings (partial list):

Access Colorado	2021
GALS Denver- non-profit organization, Denver, CO	2019, 2021
MSU-Denver Womyn of Color Conference, Denver, CO	2020
Access Opportunity-non-profit organization, Boulder, CO	2020
CU-Boulder Diversity Summit	2019
CU-Boulder Department of Advising	2019
Boulder Community Foundation, Boulder, CO	2017
Boulder County Arts Alliance, Boulder, CO	2016
Boulder County Youth Advisory Board, Boulder, CO	2016
Boulder County Democratic Party Leadership Staff, Boulder, CO	2015
Boulder County Arts Alliance	2015
CU-Boulder Cultural Events Board	2015
YWCA of Boulder County, Boulder, CO	2015, 2016
Boulder County Democratic Party Leadership Staff, Boulder, CO	2014
University of Colorado Diverse Scholars Program, Boulder, CO	2014
Girls Incorporated of Metro Denver Volunteers, Denver, CO	2014
American Indian College Fund Staff, Denver, CO	2012

SPONSORED RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL GRANTS AWARDED

University of Colorado Boulder Office of Diversity, Equity, and Community Engagement Grant to support the Multicultural Leadership Scholars Program (2022)	\$100,000
Colorado Housing and Finance Authority (CHFA) Scholarship for Multicultural Leadership Scholars Program (2022)	\$100,000
University of Colorado Boulder Center for Leadership Grant (2022)	\$5,000
University of Colorado Boulder Center for Leadership Grant (2021)	\$5,000
University of Colorado Boulder Summer Session Award (2017)	\$7,000
University of Colorado Boulder Summer Session Award (2015)	\$7,000
Bank One of Colorado	\$30,000
State of Colorado's Youth Crime and Prevention Initiative	\$50,000
McCormick Tribune Foundation Press for Literacy	\$25,000
Temple Hoyne Buell Foundation	\$30,000
Mayor of Denver's Safe City Initiative	\$15,000
Mayor of Denver's Safe City Initiative	\$20,000
State of Colorado's Youth Crime and Prevention Initiative	\$60,000
The Denver Post's Seasons to Share Campaign	\$20,000
W.K. Kellogg Foundation	\$25,000
The Denver Foundation	\$25,000

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Pueblo Hispanic Education Foundation Board of Directors
Center for Creative Leadership (CCL)
International Leadership Association (ILA)
American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education (AAHHE)
American Association of University Women (AAUW)
Academy of Human Resource Development (AHRD)
National Hispana Leadership Institute (NHLI) 2004 Fellow
MANA- A National Latina Organization

MEDIA

"Multicultural Leadership," Leadership Frontiers- The Center for Leadership, University of Colorado Boulder, Featured presenter for a Podcast, Boulder CO. 2021

"Race and Memory in Local Histories: Creating a Podcast Influenced by Los Seis de Boulder," Interviewed for a Podcast, Boulder, CO. 2021

"Students get a crash course in economics," USA Today. McLean, VA. 2009
Interviewed about the formation of the Metro State University Food Bank.

"Metro feeding students' stomachs as well as minds." The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 2009
Interviewed about the formation of the Metro State University Food Bank.

"Proud to be a Puebloan." Featured Columnist. The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 2004

"An inspiration to Latinas-and others." Featured Columnist. The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 2004

"The spirit of giving." Featured Columnist. The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 2003

"Don't fall prey to financial aid scams." Featured Columnist. The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 2003

"Not your typical haircut and tostadas." Featured Columnist. The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 2003

"The 'only one' on campus." Featured Columnist. The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 2003

"Taken too soon." Featured Columnist. The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 2003

"Fostering young Latina role models: A priority for all." Featured Columnist. Hola Colorado. Denver, CO. 1999

"Latina Youth Tackle Washington." Hola Colorado. Denver, CO. 1999
Interviewed about participation in a trip to the White House where selected Latina students and educators were guests of President Bill Clinton to discuss gun violence in Colorado and in the United States.

"Building a Resilient Latina." Featured Columnist. El Semanario. Denver, CO. 1998

"Latina Leader Perspective on the Columbine High School Tragedy." FM Radio presentation via satellite on "Sabado Espectacular." Boston, MA. 1998

"Kaleidoscope workshop paints diversity's true colors." The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 1997
Interviewed as a featured presenter at an annual diversity conference in Denver.

"Member of The Only One Club." Featured Columnist. El Semanario. Denver, CO. 1997

"An in-depth look at Latino Educational Issues," Featured radio commentator on KBNO-AM. Denver, CO. 1997

"Latina students search for power." The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 1997
Interviewed as a featured presenter at a conference for targeted Latina youth in Denver.

“Friends: At-risk kids connect with caring adults.” The Denver Post. Denver, CO. 1996
 Article featuring the mentors, mentees and staff of the Colorado I Have A Dream Foundation.

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

<i>Search Committee Member</i> , Chancellor of the University of Colorado Boulder	2024
<i>Women Who Make a Difference Award</i> , University of Colorado Boulder Center for Inclusion and Social Change	2024
<i>Outstanding Faculty Member</i> , Office of Outreach and Precollege Engagement, University of Colorado Boulder	2024
<i>Steering Committee Member</i> , Chancellor Phil DiStefano’s CU Boulder History Project	2021-2023
<i>Women Who Make a Difference Award</i> , University of Colorado Boulder Center for Inclusion and Social Change	2019
<i>Women Who Make a Difference Award</i> , University of Colorado Boulder Women’s Resource Center	2017
CU Diversity, Equity and Community Engagement, Nominee, Equity and Excellence Faculty Award	2015
CU-LEAD Alliance <i>Faculty Appreciation Award</i> , University of Colorado Boulder	2013
<i>Ally of the Year</i> , GLBT Student Services at the Auraria Campus	2009
National Hispana Leadership Institute <i>Fellow</i>	2004
<i>Chancellors Advisory Council for Minority Affairs (CACMA) Award</i> , University of Colorado Boulder	2002
<i>Women Who Make a Difference Award</i> , University of Colorado Boulder Women’s Resource Center	2002