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EDUCATION

Kent State University

Fall 2007 to Present

Institute of Applied Linguistics Master of Arts in Spanish Translation Ohio Regents Fellowship Recipient

The University of Akron

Graduated Spring 2007

Honors College Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Magna Cum Laude

Universidad de Salamanca

Fall 2006

Salamanca, Spain

Universidad Internacional

Summer 2006

Cuernavaca, México Sigma Delta Pi Scholarship Recipient

HONORS AND ORGANIZATIONS

- American Literary Translators Association, Member
- o American Translators Association, Member
- o Northeast Ohio Translators Association, Member
- o Sigma Delta Pi (National Collegiate Hispanic Honor Society), Member
- o 2006 Award Winner of the "Premio Ignacio R.M. Galbis" for outstanding work published in *El Cid*, Spanish student publication of The Citadel.
- "Dos poemas infantiles de María Elena Walsh: Una introducción subversiva de la crítica política y social" –Senior Honor Project
- o "Rags to Riches: A Look at Liberation Theology vs. Prosperity Theology in Brazil"--presented April, 2004, at Annual Conference of Association of University Regional Campuses in Ohio

RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

- School of Music, Chautauqua Institution— Program Assistant Summer 2007
- o A&S Careers Program, The University of Akron— Program Assistant January to May 2007
- o McNair Scholars Program, The University of Akron— Program Assistant February 2004 to June 2006
- State Farm— Licensed Insurance Agent and Office Manager February 2001 to February 2004

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- Proyecto Raíces
 - St. Bernard's Church, Akron, Ohio
- Conversation Partner Program
 English Language Institute, The University of Akron
- O Conversation Partner Program Universidad de Salamanca
- o Private Tutor, English as a Second Language Salamanca, Spain