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EDUCATION

- 2013-2017 PhD | Fire and Emergency Management Administration
Oklahoma State University, Department of Political Science
Dissertation: "*Gender and Representative Bureaucracy: Opportunities and Barriers in Local Emergency Management Agencies*"
- 2010-2012 MPS | Public Service
University of Arkansas Clinton School of Public Service
Capstone title: "*An Evaluation of the Bush Clinton Katrina Fund: Lessons Learned from Philanthropic Grantmaking Post Katrina*"
- 2011 Graduate electives, Emergency Management
Jacksonville State University
- 2004-2008 BS | Hotel and Restaurant Management
Kansas State University
Emphasis: Event Planning + Coordination, Minors: Business Administration, Leadership

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- 2021-Present Director | Leadership Minor, College of Liberal Arts
University of Central Oklahoma
- 2020-Present Assistant Professor | Department of Political Science, Master of Public Administration
University of Central Oklahoma
- Coordinator, Certificate in Disaster Management
 - Interim Coordinator, MPA Online Program
 - Developed the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Action Plan for the MPA Program and facilitates the MPA Inclusive Community Council
- 2019-2020 Visiting Assistant Professor | Department of Political Science, Master of Public Administration
University of Central Oklahoma
- Coordinator, Certificate in Disaster Management
- 2016-2019 Instructor + Edu-Innovator | Department of Political Science, Master of Public Administration
University of Central Oklahoma
- Certified Learning Environment Architect
 - Developed a number of online and traditional courses within the MPA program
- 2013-2016 Teaching Associate | Oklahoma State University

COURSES

*Graduate Courses (*developed course):*

- Qualitative Research Methods [Core MPA]*
- Public Administration Dynamics [Core MPA] (F2F, online*)
- Capstone [Core MPA]
- Fundamentals of Emergency Management (F2F*, online*)
- Populations at Risk*
- Environmental Justice*
- Gender in Public Administration*

Undergraduate Courses:

- American National Government
- Aim and Scope of Emergency Management
- Terrorism and Emergency Management (as TA)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Interests: gender issues, intersectional feminism, marginalized populations, and community empowerment in emergency management
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| 2020 | Primary Investigator University of Central Oklahoma
Department of Political Science, Master of Public Administration program
<i>Latinx Voices of the COVID-19 Pandemic: The Gendered Burden of Labor</i> |
| 2020 | Primary Investigator University of Central Oklahoma
Department of Political Science, Master of Public Administration program <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Faculty Perceptions of University Crisis Communications and Response in Oklahoma during the COVID-19 Pandemic</i> |
| 2018 | Primary Investigator University of Central Oklahoma
Department of Political Science, Master of Public Administration program <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>A Qualitative Case Study in State-Level Interagency Collaboration</i> |
| 2016-2017 | Doctoral Dissertation Oklahoma State University
Department of Political Science, Fire + Emergency Management Administration program <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Gender and Representative Bureaucracy: Opportunities and Barriers in Local Emergency Management Agencies</i> |
| 2014-2016 | Research Associate Oklahoma State University
Department of Political Science, Fire + Emergency Management Administration program <ul style="list-style-type: none">• National Science Foundation (NSF), RAPID: <i>Emergency Evacuations and Risk Communication during the 2013 Colorado Flood</i>, \$39,162, 3/1/2014 - 2/28/2016 Primary Investigator: Dr. Hao-Che (Tristan) Wu
Responsibilities: Interview, transcription, coding, analysis |

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Summer 2014	Graduate Intern City of Los Angeles, Emergency Management Department
2012-2013	Director of Information and Logistics CQM Systems, LLC
Summer 2011	Consultant Clinton Foundation – Clinton Guistra Sustainable Growth Initiative (Peru)
2010-2011	Evaluator Pine Bluff Area Community Foundation
2009-2010	Volunteer Program Officer – AmeriCorps VISTA Rebuilding Together New Orleans
2008-2009	Volunteer Coordinator + Development Associate ICAN, Positive Programs for Youth

JOURNAL ARTICLE(S)

- Hackerott, C., Provencio, A.L., Santos-Hernández, J. Access and Inclusion in Emergency Management Online Education: Challenges Exposed by the COVID-19 Pivot. *Journal of Homeland Security and Emergency Management*. Accepted with revisions.
- Provencio, A.L. Connecting Gender and Representative Bureaucracy in Local Emergency Management. Manuscript in preparation.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- Provencio, A.L. (2020). Emergency Management in Oklahoma: Interagency Relationships in Times of Disaster. In *Oklahoma Government and Politics: An Introduction (7th Edition)*. Kendall Hunt Publishing.
- Provencio, A.L. & Padgham, S. (2020). Policymaking through the Lens of Climate Change: Ethical, Economic, and Political Perspectives. In *Oklahoma Government and Politics: An Introduction (7th Edition)*. Kendall Hunt Publishing.
- Provencio, A. L. (2019). Gender and Representative Bureaucracy: A Qualitative Look at Opportunities and Barriers for Women in Local Emergency Management Agencies. In *Emerging Voices in Natural Hazards Research*. Elsevier.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND PANELS

- Nov 21, 2020 | *The Challenges Posed by COVID-19: Access and Inclusion in Emergency Management Online Education*. Panel presentation at the Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Conference. Virtual.
- Nov 5, 2020 | *The Local Impacts of COVID-19*. Panel Presentation at the Oklahoma Political Science Association Annual Conference. Virtual.
- Jun 4, 2020 | *Ethics for Emergency Management*. Panel presentation at the FEMA Emergency Management Institute's Higher Education Symposium. Virtual.
- Jun 2, 2020 | *The Scholarship of Teaching and Learning in Homeland Security and Emergency Management: Preparing, Instructing, and Assessing for Success in Online Courses*. Panel presentation at the FEMA Emergency Management Institute's Higher Education Symposium. Virtual.
- Nov 7, 2019 | *Explorations in Inclusion and Cohesion: Immigrant Education in Germany and the United States*. Panel presentation at the Oklahoma Political Science Association Annual Conference. Oklahoma City, OK.
- Nov 7, 2019 | *Oklahoma Government and Politics (Sponsored by Kendall Hunt Publishing)*. Book chapter presentation/panelist at the Oklahoma Political Science Association Annual Conference. Oklahoma City, OK.
- Nov 7, 2019 | *Teaching Political Science Roundtable (Hybrid Courses/Programs)*. Roundtable panelist at the Oklahoma Political Science Association Annual Conference. Oklahoma City, OK.
- Oct 28, 2019 | *Becoming American: DACA, Immigration, and Resources for Educators*. Panel presentation at the Oklahoma Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Annual Convention. Edmond, OK.
- Oct 22, 2019 | *Working with State and Local Partners on Collaborative Research Projects*. Presentation at the FEMA Region VI Higher Education Collaborative. Russellville, AR.
- Oct 4, 2019 | *Gender Issues in Environmental Justice*. Presentation at the 4th Annual International Gender and Sexuality Studies Conference. Edmond, OK.
- Jul 18, 2019 | Provencio, A.L. *Gender and Representative Bureaucracy: A Qualitative Look at Opportunities and Barriers for Women in Local Emergency Management Agencies*. Book chapter presented at the annual International Research Committee on Disasters Researchers' Meeting. Broomfield, CO.
- Nov 16, 2018 | Provencio, A. L. *A Roundtable Discussion on Incorporating Applied Research into Graduate Course Material*. Presentation and roundtable facilitation at the annual Oklahoma Women in Higher Education Conference. Oklahoma City, OK.
- Nov 8, 2018 | *Careers in Political Science*. Panel presentation at the Oklahoma Political Science Association Annual Conference. Midwest City, OK.
- Nov 1, 2018 | *Emergency Management in Oklahoma*. Panel presentation at the Oklahoma ASPA Chapter Conference. Norman, OK.

- Oct 4, 2018 | Provencio, A. L. *Gender and Representative Bureaucracy: Opportunities and Barriers in Local Emergency Management Agencies*. Book chapter presented at the 3rd Annual International Gender and Sexuality Studies Conference. Oklahoma City, OK.
- Jun 6, 2018 | Provencio, A. L. *Collaboration or Competition? Perceptions of Oklahoma Public Safety Agency Leaders: A Qualitative Study*. Paper presented at the annual FEMA Emergency Management Institute's Higher Education Symposium. Emmitsburg, MD.
- Mar 7, 2017 | *Protecting Minority Rights in a Majoritarian System*. Panel presentation at Rose State College's Great Debates: Power, Politics, and People. Midwest City, OK.
- Jun 5, 2016 | Provencio, A., Wu, T. *Gender in Local Emergency Management Agencies: Interviews with Female Emergency Managers in Colorado*. Poster presented at the annual FEMA Emergency Management Institute's Higher Education Symposium. Emmitsburg, MD.
- Jul 19-22, 2015 | Provencio, A., Wu, T., Prelog, A., Wukich, C., and Khemka, A. *Emergency Evacuations and Risk Communication during the 2013 Colorado Flood*. Poster presented at the annual Natural Hazards Research and Applications Workshop. Broomfield, CO.
- Jul 1, 2015 | Provencio, A. *An Intersectional Feminist Approach to Gender in Emergency Management Administration: A Literature Review*. Paper presented at the annual FEMA Emergency Management Institute's Higher Education Symposium. Emmitsburg, MD.
- Jul 1, 2015 | Provencio, A., Wu, T., Prelog, A., Wukich, C., and Khemka, A. *Emergency Evacuations and Risk Communication During the 2013 Colorado Flood: A Presentation of Emergency Manager Interviews*. Poster presented at the annual FEMA Emergency Management Institute's Higher Education Symposium. Emmitsburg, MD.
- Jun 1, 2014 | Provencio, A. and Allen, P. *Community Disaster Resilience: Bridging Research and Practice*. Paper presented at the annual FEMA Emergency Management Institute's Higher Education Symposium. Emmitsburg, MD.

CAMPUS PRESENTATIONS AND PANELS

- February 19, 2021 | Antiracism 101 Workshop. Presented by the Antiracist Pedagogy Working Group in partnership with the College of Liberal Arts' Good Trouble Task Force – Panelist. Virtual.
- November 10, 2020 | Center for the Advancement of Liberal Arts Fall 2020 Community Forum – Panelist. Virtual.
- Oct 28, 2020 | *Disparate Impacts of COVID-19*. Center for the Advancement of Liberal Arts: New Faculty Lecture Series. Virtual.
- Oct 9, 2020 | *Decolonizing the Academy*. Native American Heritage Month – Panelist. Virtual.
- Oct 6, 2020 | *Social Responsibility on Campus*. Media Ethics & Fusion Conference – Panelist. Virtual.
- Oct 1, 2020 | *Student Activism*. Primeros Pasos: A Latinx Experience for High Schoolers – Moderator. Virtual.
- Sept 28, 2020 | *Voter Engagement Panel*. Diversity Roundtable & Latino Faculty and Staff Association – Moderator. Virtual.
- Jun 24, 2020 | *#HomeisHere: A Panel Discussion on DACA*. UCO Office of Diversity and Inclusion Panel – Facilitator. Virtual.
- Jun 17, 2020 | *After the March... Now What?*. UCO Office of Diversity and Inclusion Panel - Panelist. Virtual.
- Oct 9, 2019 | *Environmental Justice in the Latinx World*. UCO Passport Program – Pasaporte al Mundo Latino. Edmond, OK.
- Jun 8, 2018 | *Ethics in Government*. Panel presentation with Joel Clement (Union of Concerned Scientists), Johnson Bridgewater (Sierra Club, Oklahoma Chapter), and Dr. Brett Sharp (University of Central Oklahoma, MPA program) at the University of Central Oklahoma. Edmond, OK.

Sept 28, 2016 | *Minority Issues in the 2016 Election*. University of Central Oklahoma's Election Panel Series
- Panelist. Edmond, OK.

OTHER PRESENTATIONS

Sept 23, 2020 | Women in Emergency Management. EM Student Podcast. <https://sitchradio.com/women-in-emergency-management/>

Sept 11, 2020 | 9/11 In Remembrance Virtual Radio Talk Show. International Network of Women In Emergency Management, Inc.; Love, Peace and Prosperity International, Inc.; and Epiphany Entertainment, LLC

PROFESSIONAL REPORTS

2018 | Provencio, A. L., Henrici, S., Absher, T., Collins, N., Cunningham, K., Hiller, W., Robertson, R., Searock, C. Perceptions of Oklahoma Public Safety Agency Leaders on Interagency Collaboration: A Qualitative Study.

2014 | Wu, T., Provencio, A., Prelog, A., Wukich, C. "Household response to warning during the 2013 Colorado Flood." Working paper.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Fall/Spring 2020 | Academic Leadership Fellows Academy, Educator's Leadership Academy

Spring/Summer 2018 | Latino Leadership – Class V, Hispanic Chamber of Commerce

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Spring 2021-Present | UCO/Smithsonian Women's History Conference Core Planning Committee, Faculty Liaison

Spring 2021-Present | Inclusive Community Strategic Plan Steering Committee

Fall 2020-Present | On-Call COVID-19 Taskforce

Fall 2020-Present | Faculty of Color Mentoring Program proposal planning group

Fall 2020-Present | CLA Good Trouble Task Force, Political Science Representative

Fall 2020-Present | MPA Inclusive Community Council, Creator and Convener

Fall 2020-Present | Academic Affairs Curriculum Committee, Liberal Arts Representative

Fall 2020 | Presidential Affinity Groups Leadership Council

Fall 2020 | "Race Talk and the Conspiracy of Silence" Book Group Facilitator, 21st Century Pedagogy Institute

Summer 2020-Present | VotoLatino, Student Group Advisor

Summer 2020-Present | Anti-Racist Pedagogy Working Group, 21st Century Pedagogy Institute, Facilitator

Summer 2020-Present | Committee on Diversity

- Diversity Curriculum Committee, July 2020-Present

Summer 2020-Present | The Center, Political Science Liaison

Spring 2020 | Women's History Month Taskforce

Fall 2019-Present | Liberal Arts Curriculum Committee, Political Science Representative

Fall 2019-Present | Hispanic Success Initiative Faculty Mentor
 Fall 2019-Fall 2020 | Praxis, Student Group Co-Advisor
 Summer 2019-Present | Primeros Pasos (First Steps) Planning Committee, also Host + Workshop presenter
 Summer 2019 | MPA New Student Orientation, Coordinator
 Spring 2019-Fall 2019 | Passport Program – Advisor, Pasaporte al Mundo Latino
 Spring 2019-Present | Latinx Heritage Month Taskforce
 Fall 2018-Present | NASPAA Accreditation working group, MPA Faculty
 Summer 2018-Present | Sustainability Scholars

- 2020-2021 | Environmental Justice series planning group
- Summer 2020 | ILED planning
- 2019-2020 | Climate Change Series planning group

Summer 2018-Present | Dreamer Ally Training for UCO Faculty/Staff Co-Creator

- Trainer, May 2020-Present
- Training development for UCO, January 2019-May 2020
- Train-the-trainer training by University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, August 2018

Summer 2018-Fall 2020 | Kappa Delta Chi (Multicultural Sorority) Advisor
 Spring 2018-Present | DACA/Undocumented Student Taskforce
 Spring 2018-Present | Dreamer Fund Gala Planning Committee
 Fall 2017-Present | Latino Faculty and Staff Association

- Executive Committee, President, 2020-2022
- Executive Committee, Interim Vice-President, 2019-2020
- Executive Committee, Secretary, 2018-2019
- Member, 2017-2018

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Mar 2020-Present | FEMA Higher Education Program Special Interest Group, Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Focus Group
 Jan 2020-Present | 45th Annual Natural Hazards Research and Applications Workshop Researchers' Meeting, Organizing Committee Member
 Jun 2018-Present | FEMA Higher Education Program Special Interest Group, Ethics in Emergency Management Education

- Curriculum Sub-Group Lead, May 2020-Present

Aug 2017 | Delphi Participant, The Next Generation Core Competencies for Emergency Management Professionals report
 Oct 2015 | Contributor, Research Standards for the Academic Discipline of Emergency Management Focus Group convened by FEMA
 Oct 2015 | Participant, Emergency Management Doctoral Degree Holder/Seeker Focus Group convened by FEMA

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Spring 2020 | Greater Oklahoma City Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Complete Count Committee
 Fall 2018-Present | Integris Positive Directions Mentor at Fillmore Elementary (Integris Hospital)

Mar-Aug 2018 | Viva Oklahoma! Hispanic Chamber Expo Planning Committee & Volunteer Coordinator
(Greater Oklahoma City Hispanic Chamber of Commerce)

RECOGNITION

Spring 2021 | Distinguished Teacher-Scholar, 21st Century Pedagogy Institute
Fall 2020 | Researcher of the Year, Oklahoma Political Science Association
Spring 2019 | New Faculty of the Year nominee, College of Liberal Arts
June 2018 | Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities – Leadership Institute
Spring 2018 | New Faculty of the Year nominee, College of Liberal Arts
Summer 2016 | Summer Dissertation Fellowship, Oklahoma State University
Summer 2015 | Estelle A. Hammond Endowed Scholarship, Oklahoma State University
Fall 2013/Spring 2014 | Graduate Top Tier Fellowship, Oklahoma State University
Fall 2013/Spring 2014 | Division of Institutional Diversity Scholarship, Oklahoma State University
Aug 2010-Aug 2012 | AmeriCorps Matching Award Plus, University of Arkansas Clinton School of Public Service

AFFILIATIONS

Feb 2017-Present | Pi Alpha Alpha
Aug 2016-Present | International Network of Women in Emergency Management
Aug 2013-Present | International Association of Emergency Managers
Jan 2012-Present | American Society for Public Administration, Section on Emergency and Crisis Management, Section for Women in Public Administration, Conference on Minority Public Administrators

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Learning Environment Architect –
Institute of Learning Environment Design at the
University of Central Oklahoma

Preparing Online Instructors – Oklahoma State
University Certification

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

- *IS-100.b Introduction to Incident Command System*

- *IS-200.b ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incident*
- *IS-235 Emergency Planning*
- *IS-288 Role of Voluntary Agencies in Emergency Management*
- *IS-700 National Incident Management System (NIMS): An Introduction*
- *IS-814 Emergency Support Function #14 Long-Term Community Recovery*