

Bernie Joaquin Canteñs  
*Curriculum Vitae*

**I. EDUCATION**

- 1994 - 1999 Ph D., M.A., Philosophy, University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL  
Dissertation: *Suárez (1548-1617) and Meinong (1853-1920) on Beings of Reason and Non-existent Objects*
- Dissertation Committee: Dr. Ramon Lemos (Director), Dr. Risto Hilpinen, Dr. Charles Siewert, Dr. Leonard Carrier, and Dr. Jane Connolly
- 1993 B.A. Philosophy, Florida International University, Miami, FL.  
- *Cum Laude*  
- *Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement in Philosophy and Religious Study*
- 1993 Certified Public Accountant (CPA), Florida
- 1993 M.A. Accounting, School of Business, Florida International University, Miami, FL.
- 1983 - 1987 B.A. Accounting, School of Business, Florida International University, Miami, FL

**II. MAJOR AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS**

- 2006 *Visiting Fellow*, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
- 2006 *NEH Summer Seminar Negotiating Identities in Art, Literature, and Philosophy: Cuban Americans and Cuban Culture* at the University of New York, Buffalo, NY. Directors: Jorge J.E. Gracia, Lynette Bosch, and Isabel Alvarez-Borland (\$2,400)
- 2005 *NEH Faculty Research Award 2005-2006* (\$40,000)  
"Peirce's Evolutionary Cosmology and the Naturalism vs. Theism Debate"
- 2004 *American Philosophical Association Prize in Latin American Thought*: "Francisco De Vitoria's Just Intervention Theory and the Iraq War," symposium paper delivered at the American Philosophical Association Eastern Division in Boston, MA on December 27-30, 2004.
- 2003 *American Philosophical Association William James Prize*: "Overcoming the Evidentialist's Challenge: Peirce's Conjectures of Instinctive Reason and the Reality of God," symposium paper delivered at the American Philosophical Association Eastern Division in Washington DC on December 27-30, 2003

### **III. HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS**

Graduate Research Assistantship, Department of Philosophy, University of Miami (1994-1999)

Award of Appreciation - St. John Vianney College (1997-2000)

The Apple Award for Teaching Excellency (2002-2003)

Professional Development Grant, Barry University (2003) (\$500)

Certificate of Professional Development In Recognition of Outstanding Scholarship (2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007)

Certificate of Appreciation for Outstanding Service to Barry University (2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007)

Faculty Development and Research Grant, Moravian College, (2009) \$1,200.

### **EMPLOYMENT AND POSITIONS HELD**

2008 - Present     Associate Professor and Chair (Tenured) Moravian College, Bethlehem, PA

                    2006             Harvard University, Visiting Fellow, Cambridge, MA

2000 - 2008         Assistant/Associate Professor, Barry University, Miami, FL

1997 - 2000         Instructor/Assistant Professor, St. John Vianney College Seminary, Miami, FL

1994 - 1997         Graduate Assistant, University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL

### **V. AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Historical: Medieval Philosophy and Modern Philosophy.

Systematic: Metaphysics, Philosophy of Religion, American Pragmatism, Latin American Philosophy and Hispanic/Latino Issues.

### **VI. AREAS OF COMPETENCY**

Logic, Ethics, Epistemology and Philosophy of Science

### **VII. TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **A. Current Teaching responsibility**

Introduction to Philosophy

Medieval Philosophy

Early Modern Philosophy  
American Philosophy  
Latin American Philosophy  
Metaphysics  
Logic  
Philosophy of Science  
Ethics (Theory and Applied)

**B. Courses Taught**

Critical Thinking  
History of Philosophy I (Ancient and Medieval)  
History of Philosophy II (Early Modern and Late Modern)  
Introduction to Philosophy  
Ethics  
Special Topics: Hispanic/Latino/a Identity  
Philosophy of God and Religion  
Epistemology  
Formal Logic  
Metaphysics  
Medieval Philosophy  
American Philosophy  
Advanced Argument Analyses  
Social and Ethical Issues in Business  
Senior Seminar

**C. Senior Thesis Directed**

Leigh Ruffino, Peirce's Categories, 2002  
Petro Torenta, Peirce's Argument for the Reality of God, 2004

**VIII. PUBLICATIONS**

**A. Book**

*Peirce's Evolutionary Philosophy of Religion* (In Process)

**B. Works Edited**

*APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy*, Volume 9 (2) Spring 2010.

*APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy: Special Issue on the Nomination of Sonia Sotomayor*, Volume 9 (1) Fall 2009.

*APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy: Special Topic on Hispanic and American Philosophy*, Volume 8 (2) Spring 2009.

*APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy* Volume 8 (1) Fall 2008.

*APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy: Special Topic on Immigration*,  
Volume 7 (2) Spring 2008.

**C. Articles, Book Chapters and Encyclopedia Entries (In chronological order)**

- (1) "The Interdependency Between Aquinas' Doctrine of Creation and The Principle of the Limitations of Act by Potency." *American Catholic Philosophical Association Proceedings* Vol. 74 (2000): 121-140
- (2) "Suárez y Descartes sobre la noción de verdades eternas y su relacion con Dios" *Sapientia* Vol. 55 (2000): 25-36.
- (3) "The Relationship Between God and Essences and the Notion of Eternal Truths According To Francisco Suárez." *The Modern Schoolman Philosophical Quarterly* Vol. 71(2) (2000): 127-143.
- (4) "A Solution to the Problem of Personal Identity in the Metaphysics of St. Thomas." *American Catholic Philosophical Association Proceedings* Vol. 75 (2001): 121-134.
- (5) "Ultimate Reality in the Metaphysics of Francisco Suárez." *Ultimate Reality and Meaning* Vol. 25 (2) (2002): 73-92.
- (6) "Peirce and the Spontaneous Conjectures of Instinctive Reasoning" *Proceedings of the American Catholic Philosophical Association* 76 (2002) 89-101.
- (7) "What kind of beings (*entia*) are beings of reason and what kind of being (*esse*) do they have? Suárez on beings of reason" *American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly* 77 (2003) 171-187.
- (8) "Overcoming The Evidentialist's Challenge: Peirce's Conjectures of Instinctive Reason and the Reality of God" *Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society* 40 (4) 2004: 771-786.
- (9) "Francisco De Vitoria's Just Intervention Theory and the Iraq War" *APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy*, Vol. 4 (2) Spring 2005, 1-8.
- (10) "Cognitive Faculties and Evolutionary Naturalism," *American Catholic Philosophical Association Proceedings* 80 (2006): 201-208.
- (11) "Peirce on Science and Religion" *International Journal for Philosophy of Religion* 59 (2) (2006): 93 - 115
- (12) "Ultimate Reality in the Philosophy of Charles Sanders Peirce: To Want To Learn The Truth" *Ultimate Reality and Meaning*, 29 (4) (2006): 229-243.
- (13) "Forgiveness and it importance in Post-War Ethics" *Journal of Religion*,

*Disability and Health*, 12 (3) (2008): 251-266.

(14) "Comments on Jaime Nubiola's "Charles Peirce and the Hispanic World" *APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues: Special Topic on Hispanic and American Philosophy*, Volume 7, Number 2, Spring 2009

(15) "Dewey's Pragmatism and Social-Political Philosophy: Comments on Rosa Mayorga's "Hispanic Philosophy, American Pragmatism, and Cuba" *APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues: Special Topic on Hispanic and American Philosophy*, Volume 7, Number 2, Spring 2009

(16) "Why Forgive: A Christian Response" *Proceedings of the American Catholic Philosophical Association* 82 (2008): 217-228.

(17) "On the Metaphysics of Cultural Identity: A Darwinian Account" *Latino Studies* 7 (2) (2009): 167-196.

(18) "Francisco Suárez." *The History of Western Philosophy of Religion*. Volume 3 *Early Modern Philosophy*. Edited by Graham Oppy and Nick Trakakis. Durham: Acumen Publishing Limited, 2009, 75-87.

(19) "Francisco de Vitoria and Bartolome de las Casas on the Rights of the American Indians" *Blackwell Companion to Latin American Philosophy*. Edited by Susana Nuccetelli, Ofelia Schutte, and Otavio Bueno. Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing, 2010, 23-35.

(20) "Is Political Forgiveness Possible?" in *Politics, Pluralism and Religion*. Cambridge, England: Cambridge Scholars Press, forthcoming.

(21) "Suárez's Argument for the Existence of God" *Interpreting Suárez: Critical Essays*. Edited by Daniel Schwartz and James South. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, forthcoming.

#### **D. Book Reviews (In chronological order)**

(1) Review of Griffiths, Paul J. *Problems of Religious Diversity. Exploring the Philosophy of Religion*, for *Theological Studies* 63 June (2002): 435.

(2) Review of Flannery, Kevin, L. S.J. *Acts Amid Precepts* for *Louvain Studies* 28(2003): 384-93.

(3) Review of Deely, John. *What Distinguishes Human Understanding?* for *The Review of Metaphysics* 57 (2003): 145-8.

(4) Review of Shanley, Brian J. O.P. *The Thomist Tradition* for *Theological Studies* 64 (2003): 205-6.

(5) Review of Dekker, Eef. *Middle Knowledge* for *American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly*

78 (2004): 499-503.

(6) Review of Ward, Roger. *Conversion in American Philosophy* for *Transactions of the Charles Sanders Peirce Society* 42 (2005): 444-50.

(7) Review of *Anuario filosófico: pragmatismo hispanico* for *Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society* 44(4) (2008): 739-47.

(8) Review of Alvin Plantinga and Michael Tooley, *Knowledge of God* for *American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly* 84(3) (2010): 644-7.

### **E. Non-Academic Publications**

Zero-tolerance is compatible with Christian's Forgiveness." *The Miami Herald*, Letters to the Editor. May 18, 2002.

### **F. Works in Process**

- *Peirce's Evolutionary Philosophy of Religion* (In Process)
- Applied for NEH Summer Stipend 2011 for funding for "The Influence of Hispanics/Latinos on American National Identity"
- Peter Abelard on Sin
- A New Essay on the Hiddenness of God
- Abortion (In Process)
  - "Can Abortion be Unethical and Legal?"
  - "On the Ethics of Abortion"
  - "A Reply to Judith Jarvis Thompson"

## **IX. PRESENTATIONS**

### **A. Academic Presentation (In chronological order)**

(1) "What Beliefs are Morally Good, Epistemically Correct and Right," delivered to the Society of Christian Philosophers at Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ on March, 12-14, 1998.

(2) "Eternal Essences and God: According to Suárez," delivered to the Society of Christian Philosophers at Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI on March 25-27, 1999.

(3) "The Morality of the Social Means of Communication," delivered at Pax Institute's Annual Communication Conferences at the Radisson Mart Plaza, Miami, FL on August 7, 1999

- (4) "La Noción de Necesidad y Verdades Eternas Según Suárez," delivered to the Jacque Maritain Society in Miami, FL on July 18, 1999.
- (5) "Suárez versus Descartes: On the Relationship between Eternal Truths and God," delivered to the Florida Philosophical Association at University of Miami, Miami, FL on November 11-13, 1999.
- (6) "The Interdependency Between Aquinas' Theological Doctrine of Creation and The Principle of the Limitations of Act by Potency," delivered at the Fides and Ratio 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference at St. John Vianney College Seminary, Miami, FL on February 25, 2000.
- (7) "Aquinas and Suárez on the Soul and Body," delivered to the Society of Christian Philosophers at Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, CA on March 25-27, 2000.
- (8) "Aquinas and Suárez on the Soul," delivered to the Society of Christian Philosophers at the University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC on May 11-13, 2000.
- (10) "Problems with Aquinas' and Suárez's Conception of the Soul" delivered to the Comité de Seminarios y Conferencias Facultad de Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades at Saint Louis University, Avda. Del Valle, 23 - Padre Rubio Hall, Madrid, Spain on June 14, 2000.
- (11) "The Interdependency Between Aquinas' Doctrine of Creation and His Metaphysical Principle of the Limitations of Act by Potency" delivered to the American Catholic Philosophical Association at the University of Dallas, Dallas, TX on November 3-5, 2000.
- (12) "A Gracian and Stumpian Solution to the Problem of Personal Identity in the Philosophy of Thomas," delivered to the Society of Christian Philosophers at St. John Fisher College, Rochester, NY on March 1-3, 2001
- (13) "Ultimate Reality in the Metaphysics of Francisco Suárez," delivered to the International Society for the Study of Human Ideas on Ultimate Reality and Meaning at University College, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON Canada on August 15-18, 2001 Commentators: Fiore Mester, Toronto, ON Canada and Michael J. Lapierre, Regis College, Toronto, ON Canada
- (14) "Comments on Michael J. Lapierre's 'Gabriel Vasquez's Idea of Ultimate Reality and Meaning'," delivered to the International Society for the Study of Human Ideas on Ultimate Reality and Meaning at University College, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON Canada on August 15-18, 2001
- (15) "A Solution to the Problem of Personal identity in the Metaphysics of St. Thomas," delivered to the American Catholic Philosophical Association in Albany, NY on November 9-11, 2001 Commentator: Fulvio di Blasi, University of Notre Dame
- (16) "What Does it Mean To Be A Christian?" delivered to the Society of Christian Philosophy at Bethel College, St. Paul, MN on March 7-9, 2002

- (17) "Catholic-Christian Perspective on War," delivered at the War and Peacemaking: A Religious Perspective from Christianity, Judaism and Islam Conference at the University of Miami, Miami, FL on March 21, 2002.
- (18) "Peirce and the Spontaneous Conjectures of Instinctive Reasoning" delivered to the American Catholic Philosophical Association in Cincinnati, OH on November 1-3, 2002.
- (19) "Is it Rational to Belief in God?" delivered to the Society of Christian Philosophers on November 14-16, 2002 at Messiah College, Grantham, Pennsylvania.
- (20) "Overcoming the Evidentialist's Challenge: Peirce's Conjectures of Instinctive Reason and the Reality of God" (winner of the William James Prize) symposium paper delivered at the American Philosophical Association Eastern Division in Washington D.C. on December 27-30, 2003
- (21) "On Scientific Inquiry and Religious Belief" paper delivered at C. S. Lewis National Faculty Forum (Free Speech: Academic Freedom and Religious Expression) at University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, CA. on October 11, 2003
- (22) "Overcoming the Evidentialist's Challenge: Peirce's Conjectures of Instinctive Reason and the Reality of God," delivered at the University of Miami Colloquium Series to the Philosophy Department, Coral Gable, FL on September 12, 2003.
- (23) "Ultimate Reality in The Philosophy of C.S. Peirce: To Want To Know The Truth," delivered to the International Society For the Study of Human Ideas on Ultimate Reality and Meaning at the University College, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON Canada on August 13-16, 2003. Commentator: Professor Noel Boultong, Kent England
- (24) "Peirce's Conjectures of Instinctive Reason and the Reality of God: Overcoming the Evidentialist's Challenge," delivered to the Society for Philosophers of Religion at the Hilton Head, Hilton Head, SC on February 28 -March 2, 2003. Commentator: Forrest Wood, University of Southern Mississippi.
- (25) Commenting on "Defending God's Strong Conservation" by Louis A. Mancha, Jr. Ashland University at the American Catholic Philosophical Association in Houston, TX on October 31 - November 2, 2003.
- (26) "Peirce's Scientific Spirit and the Highest Maxim of Logic: On the incompatibility between Philosophy and Christianity" delivered to the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy at Birmingham-Southern College on March 4-6, 2004. Commentator: Lawrence Cahoone, College of Holy Cross.
- (27) "Is Scientific Inquiry Compatible with Religious Belief?" delivered to the The Society for Philosophers of Religion at the Radisson Admiral Semmes Hotel in Mobile, AL on March 4-6, 2004.



- (28) "Francisco De Vitoria's Just Intervention Theory and the Iraq War" delivered at the Special Session on Suarez's Philosophy American Catholic Philosophical Association in Miami, FL. on November 5-7, 2004.
- (29) "Faith and Science in Dialog: A Continuation," delivered at the Barry University Faculty Scholars Day, Miami FL on November 10, 2004.
- (30) "An analysis of Hamer's The God Gene: The consequences of a God Gene for the existence of God" delivered at The Dominican Saints Speak to Your Issues Colloquium, Miami, FL on November 15, 2004.
- (31) "Francisco De Vitoria's Just Intervention Theory and the Iraq War" (winner of the Prize in Latin American Thought) symposium paper delivered at the American Philosophical Association Eastern Division in Boston M.A. on December 27-30, 2004.
- (32) Does Anyone Merit Salvation? Does Anyone Merit Salvation More Than anyone Else? delivered to the Society for Philosophers of Religion at The Hilton Head, Hilton Head, South Carolina on February 25, 2005.
- (33) "Is the Iraq War a Just War? Vitoria and the Iraq War" invited talk delivered to the Comité de Seminarios y Conferencias Facultad de Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades at Saint Louis University, Avda. Del Valle, 23 - Padre Rubio Hall, Madrid, Spain on March 22, 2005.
- (34) "The Philosophy of Francisco Suárez," invited guest lecture at Belen Jesuit Preparatory High School to the Seniors Honor Philosophy Class on April 8, 2005.
- (35) "On the Relationship Between Science and Religion: A Prolegomenon to Peirce's Philosophy of Religion" invited talk delivered at Belen Jesuit Preparatory High School to the Faculty Members on April 20, 2005.
- (36) "A prolegomena to Peirce's philosophy of Religion," invited talk delivered at Seminarios del Grupo de Estudios Peirceanos, Universidad de Navarra, Pamplona, Spain, February 15, 2006.
- (37) "A Reply To Plantinga's Argument Against Naturalism" invited talk delivered to the faculty of the philosophy department at Universidad de Granada, Granada, Spain, March 23, 2006.
- (38) "Peirce's Early Conception of Logic" delivered at the III Meeting on Pragmatism: Agency, Inference, and the Origins of Analytic Philosophy, University of Granada, Granada, Spain, April 19-21, 2006,
- (39) "Cognitive Faculties and Evolutionary Naturalism," American Catholic Philosophical Association Proceedings in Granville, Ohio, October 27-29, 2006.
- (40) "Evolution and Reliable Cognitive Faculties: A Reply to Plantinga's Argument against Naturalism" delivered to the Society for Philosophers of Religion at The Hilton Head, Hilton Head, South Carolina on February 23, 2007.

- (41) "A Problem with the Theistic Doctrine Salvation: A Solution from Suárez's Doctrine of Eternal Truths," Duquesne University. Pittsburg, PA. March 2007
- (42) Philosophical reflection on Cultural and Aesthetic Identity: The art of Alejandro Mendoza and Laura Luna," Cuban Identity: Religion, Philosophy, and Visual Arts, Barry University, Miami FL. March 22, 2007.
- (43) "Philosophy and the Liberal Arts," Moravian College, Bethlehem, PA, February 14, 2008.
- (44) "Toward a Christian Understanding of Forgiveness," Niagara University, Niagara, NY February 25, 2008.
- (45) "Toward a Christian Understanding of Forgiveness" Society for Philosophers of Religion at at Wilmington, North Carolina on February 23, 2008 .
- (46) "Peirce's Early Logic, Metaphysics, and the Progress of Science" delivered to the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, at MSU, Michigan, March 13-15, 2008.
- (47) "Comments on Sam Harris' The End of Faith, delivered at Moravian College, Bethlehem, PA October 28, 2008
- (48) "Why Forgive: A Christian Response" American Catholic Philosophical Association Proceedings in Omaha, Nebraska, October 30- November 1, 2008.
- (49) "Comments on Jaime Nubiola's 'Charles Peirce and the Hispanic World'" APA Eastern Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, December 29, 2008
- (50) "Comments on Rosa Mayorga's 'Hispanic Philosophy, American Pragmatism, and Cuba'" APA Eastern Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, December 29, 2008
- (51) Comments on Terrence Tilley's "Some Ontological Arguments" delivered to the Society for Philosophers of Religion at The Hilton Head, Hilton Head, South Carolina on February 23, 2009.
- (52) "Comments on Bagley's 'Can God be Virtuous?'" delivered to the Society for Philosophers of Religion at Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, California on February, 2010.
- (53) "Comments on 'Peirce's Metaphysics of Objective Idealism,'" delivered at APA Eastern Meeting, Boston, MA, forthcoming, December 29, 2010

## **XI. SERVICE**

### **A. Membership in the Profession**

- American Philosophical Association
- Society for Philosophy of Religion
- American Catholic Philosophical Association

- Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy

#### **B. Editorial Activities**

- Editor of the *APA Newsletter on Hispanic/Latino Issues in Philosophy* (2008-2013)
- Reviewer for *Sophia*
- Reviewer for *Florida Philosophical Association*
- Reviewer for *Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society*
- Reviewer for *Notre Dame University Press*
- Reviewer for *Fordham University Press*
- Outside Reviewer for Oxford College of Emory University 3-year Review Process for Faculty I Member in the Humanities

#### **C. Service in the Profession**

- Elected to the Executive Council of the Society for Philosophers of Religion (2008 present)
- Elected to the Executive Council of the American Catholic Philosophical Association (2005-2006)
- Nominated to the Executive Council of the American Catholic Philosophical Association (2008)
- Nominated to the Executive Council of the American Catholic Philosophical Association(2004)
- APA Committee on Hispanics, (2001-2004), (2005-2008)
- University of Granada, Scientific Committee for the Meeting on Pragmatism: Agency, Inference, and the Origin of Analytic Philosophy, April 19-21, 2006
- Coordinator/Convener of the Annual Conference for American Catholic Philosophical Association (2004) Miami, FL. (Sponsored by Barry University)
- Society for Philosophy of Religion, New Members Committee, Member (2004)
- Medieval Academy of America, Program Committee, Member (2004)
- Fides et Ratio Conference, Program Committee, Member (2002)

#### **D. Service at Barry University (2000-2008)**

- Program Director of Barry University Study Abroad Program to Spain (2005-2007)
- Chair of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Advancement of Tenure (2003-2005)
- Faculty Evaluation and Mentoring Task Force, Member (2003)
- Faculty Liaison to Business Affairs (2003-2004)
- General Education Curriculum Committee, Member (2001-2004)
- Pre-Law Assessment Committee, Member (2001-2004)
- Founder and Advisor of the Student Philosophy Association at Barry University (2000-2007)
- Founder and Director of Barry University's Student Colloquium Series (2000-2005)

#### **E. Service at Moravian College (2008-Present)**

##### ***Students Organizations and Clubs***

- Faculty Advisor to the Philosophy Club (2008-present)
- Founder of the Student Colloquium Series at Moravian College

- Co-founder of the *Phi Sigma Tau* Chapter at Moravian College (2008)
- Coach of the Moravian Debate Team (2008-present)
- Honor thesis Committee for Maggie Riegel *Make Love to the paradox: An Existential Musing of Notes from Underground* (defended fall 2009)
- Honor thesis Committee for *An Economic Evaluation of the Close in Major League Baseball* Joe Munley (defended spring 2010)

#### ***College Committees and Positions Held***

- Chair of Philosophy Department (2008- present)
- Faculty Executive Committee (2010-2013)
- Faculty Executive Committee (Spring 2010)
- Faculty Research and Development Committee (200-2009, 2009-2010)
- Committee on Themes and Academic Programming (2009-present)
- Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) (2009-2010)
- Participated in the Teagle Workshop on Assessment on October 4, 2008, sponsored by the Teagle Foundation Grant.
- Participated in Writing Seminar at Moravian College, summer 2009.
- Director of Summer Study Abroad Program to Spain (2010)

#### ***Evaluation Committees***

- Chair of the Evaluation Committee for Dr. Moeller (2008-2009, 2009-2010)  
Mentored her through promotion to Associate Professor
- Chair of the Evaluation Committee for Dr. Arash Naraghi (2009-2010, 2010-2011)

#### ***Search Committees***

- Philosophy and Religion Search Committee (2008-2009)
- Vice-President for Institutional Advancement Search Committee (2009-2010)