

CURRICULUM VITAE ABREVIADO (CVA)

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Part A. PERSONAL INFORMATION

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A.1. Current position

Position	Tenure Scientist		
Initial date	22 th December 2023		
Institution	Spanish National Research Council (CSIC)		
Department/Center	Department of American Studies	Institute of History	
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Key words	Women's organizations; Feminism; History of Cuba		

A.2. Previous positions

Period	Position/Institution/Country/Interruption cause
2021-2024	Director of M.A. Thesis / International Univ. of La Rioja / Spain / Incompatibility
2020-2023	Visiting Researcher / University Alcalá de Henares /Spain/End of visiting period
2018-2020	Postdoctoral Fellowship / UNAM / Mexico / End of Fellowship
2013-2017	PhD Candidate / CSIC / Spain / End of Fellowship

A.3. Education

PhD, Licensed, Graduate	University/Country	Year
PhD. in Humanities, Art, and Education	University of Castilla-la Mancha	2017
Master Humanities and Social Science Research	University of Castilla-la Mancha	2012
Graduate. Degree in History.	University of Castilla-la Mancha	2010

Part B. CV SUMMARY

Current position and awards. I have dedicated the past decade to the study of Cuban and Mexican women's history in the first half of the 20th century. Currently, I hold the position of Tenure Scientist at the Institute of History, Spanish National Research Council. I have received accreditation as a Contracted Doctor from ANECA (2021), and I was a candidate for the National Researchers System of CONACYT, Mexico (2019-22). Notably, I was honored with the IX Thesis Prize in Women's Studies from the Spanish Association for the Research on Women's History (2018) and the University of Castilla-La Mancha Thesis Prize in Humanities (2019).



Scientific contributions. My research has addressed a historiographical gap concerning Latin American women in the twentieth century by studying two main topics: popular Afro-Cuban and Mexican rural women's associations (1930-1950), and the role of women in the Cuban insurrection (1952-59). The resulting publications contributed to make innovative questions, hypothesis, and ideas within the history of Latin American women. The first research line has applied a bottom-up and intersectional methodological approach to analyze archival documentation through the lens of intersectionality, i.e., by taking into account how racial, class, and gender discrimination intersected for the bad (the oppressive postcolonial structures), and for the good (the social groups that mobilized against them). The second research line enriched clandestine documentation by analyzing oral testimonies of women that took part in the fight against the dictatorship of Fulgencio Batista, a valid source of information full of meanings and life experiences that cannot be found in written documents. The research problems, methods, and results have been shared in numerous communication and dissemination activities as it is detailed in the "Contributions to society" section.

Funding and new research skills. These research contributions were made possible through participation in the work team within three national projects, an international network of excellence, and an international project (see C.3.). Besides, I was awarded public scholarships or funding to conduct research stays: University of Havana (2014, 16), Harvard University's Hutchins Center for African and African-American Research (2015), University of Miami's Cuban Heritage Collection (2015), and Université de Versailles (2016). Likewise, I obtained a Postdoctoral Fellowship in Humanities at the Institute of Historical Research, National Autonomous University of Mexico, UNAM (2018-20). The collaboration and participation with the host research groups allowed me to get skills and learn new methods of research that I then applied in conferences, lectures, and publications.

International collaboration and leadership. I have engaged in two notable international collaborations: 1) to study the life of Esperanza Sánchez Mastrapa, the first black Cuban woman parliamentarian (*Women's History Review*, 2022), and 2) to publish a special issue on Latin American in *Historia Caribe*.

Contributions to society. I have participated in outreach activities: *Science Week* in Spain (2014), the *Science and Humanities Festival* at the UNAM (2020), and the *History Week* at the Autonomous Metropolitan University (2019); guided tours as part of the Science Week arranged by CSIC (2013, 2014, 2025); written an article for the magazine *Rialta* (2021), and for the Institute of Latin American Studies's blog, Univ. of London (2018); given lectures at the Ibero-American University (2020), and a workshop at the VIII Coloquio Internacional 'Historia de Género y de las Mujeres en México' (2020, Autonomous University of Sonora). I would also highlight the organization of a series of 20 dissemination online lectures (Sept-Dec, 2020) at the Museo de la Mujer (Mexico) (inaugural: <https://www.facebook.com/MuseodelaMujerMexico/videos/2825160917807519/>).

Training capacity. Since 2021, I have supervised 4 thesis for the Master's in Latin America and Europe (University Research Institute for Latin American Studies, University of Alcalá), and 54 thesis for the Master's in Teacher Training for Secondary Education (International University of La Rioja), with an average rating of 7.7/10.

Scientific responsibilities. Currently, I hold the position of Scientific Editor at the *Culture & History Digital Journal*, a Scopus and WoS journal hosted at CSIC, as well as a member of the Scientific Board of the Doce Calles Editorial's *Antillia collection*. I have conducted article peer reviews for international indexed journals, such as *Latin American Research Review* (2023), or *Journal of Black Studies* (2023).

Other scientific activities. Additionally, I co-organized the International Congress, "La Esclavitud y sus huellas". Casa de América, Madrid. (nov. 2017), and the International *ConnecCaribbean* Seminar "Historia Social y cultural en el Gran Caribe, siglos XIX-XX", Institute of History CSIC (may to june 2022).

Part C. RELEVANT MERITS

C.1. Publications

Books as corresponding author:

- *Más allá del sufragismo. Las mujeres en la democratización de Cuba, 1933-1952*, Granada, Editorial Comares, 2019 (978-84-9045-808-2).
- *Llamada a las armas. Las mujeres en la Revolución cubana, 1952-1959*, Madrid, Doce Calles, 2019 (978-84-9744-242-8).

Articles as corresponding author in journals ranked by Scopus and WoS:

- Web of Science (2025). “La actividad política de Esperanza Sánchez Mastrapa, la primera parlamentaria afrocubana (1933-1951)”, *Cuadernos de Historia Contemporánea*, en Miguel Ángel Puig-Samper y Desireé Cristobal Querol (Coord.), Dossier: “Mujer y negritud en el mundo atlántico”, *Cuadernos de Historia Contemporánea*, 47(1): 113-138.
- Q2 (2023). “De la participación a la acción política. Las secciones femeninas de los partidos políticos en Cuba, 1925-1959”, *Historia Caribe*, 18/43, <https://doi.org/10.15648/hc.43.2023.3720>.
- Q1 (2022). “Radicalizing feminism. The Mexican and Cuban associations within the Women’s International Democratic Federation in the Early Cold War”, *International Review of Social History*, 67(S30), 75-102. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0020859022000025>.
- Q3 (2021). “Por el bienestar de los demás: feminismo y políticas sociales en México y Cuba, 1934-1946”, *Estudios de Historia Moderna y Contemporánea de México*, 62, 183-213. <https://doi.org/10.22201/iih.24485004e.2021.62.76783>.
- Q1 (2021). “Las ligas femeninas frente al alcoholismo y el higienismo en el México posrevolucionario, 1934-1946”, *Anuario de Estudios Americanos*, 78/1, 291-319. <https://doi.org/10.22201/iih.24485004e.2021.62.76783>.
- Q1 (2018). “Beyond Suffrage. The role of Cuban women in the State-building Years of a Failed Democracy (1940-1952)”, *Women’s History Review*, 27/5 (2018), 754-777. <https://doi.org/10.1080/09612025.2017.1359875>.
- Q2 (2014) “Doblemente sometidas: las “mujeres de color” en la República de Cuba (1902-1959)”, *Revista de Indias*, 74/262, 783-828, <https://doi.org/10.3989/revindias.2014.026>.

Collaborative articles in journals ranked by Scopus and WoS:

- Q1 (2022) --- & Michelle Chase, “Black Left Feminism in Pre-Revolutionary Cuba: The Life and Work of Esperanza Sánchez Mastrapa (1901-1958)”, *Women’s History Review*, 31/5. <https://doi.org/10.1080/09612025.2021.1996555>.

C.2. Congresses. Invited conference (IC), Oral presentation (OP).

- (IC) 2025. “Constelaciones de mujeres latinoamericanas: asociaciones, congresos y federaciones en la contemporaneidad”, 25th March (3 hours), 2025 Seminar of PAPIIT IG300223 project funded by the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México: “Pensamiento crítico de mujeres en América Latina y el Caribe (1870-1970).
- (IC) 2024. Conferencia: “Cuba entre revoluciones, 1898-1959”. Grado de Historia, Facultad de Geografía e Historia, Universidad de Valencia, 7th March.
- (IC) 2022. “Las ligas femeninas ante el alcoholismo y la salubridad en el México posrevolucionario, 1934-1946”. Commentator: Jocelyn Olcott. *Seminario Interinstitucional de Historia de Género y de las Sexualidades*. December 16th, El Colegio de Michoacán.
- (IC) 2021. “Activistas y sufragistas en la lucha por los derechos en Cuba”. Ciclo *Cruzando fronteras. Historia y género en perspectiva latinoamericana*. July 7th, Asociación Argentina Investigación en Historia de las Mujeres y Estudios de Género CONICET.
- (IC) 2021. “Afro-Cuban Women: between Democracy and Revolution (1902-1952)”, *Women’s History Month – Spring Break Series*. March 1st, Carnegie Mellon University.

- (OP) 2020. (--- & Michelle Chase) “Esperanza Sánchez Mastrapa: Feminism, Antiracism, and Communism in Pre-revolutionary Cuba (1933-1951)”, *Cuba Research Forum XXIII Annual Conference*, September 7th, University of Nottingham.
- (OP). 2019. “Radicalizing Feminism. The Women’s International Democratic Federation in Mexico and Cuba, 1945-55”, *Women’s Rights and Global Socialism*, December 4th (University of Cambridge).
- (OP). 2019. “Por el bienestar de los demás. Feminismo y acción social en México y Cuba, 1934-1946”, *Seminario Permanente de Historia Social*, October 28th, El Colegio de México.
- (OP) 2017. “Improving the Nation: Feminism and Social Policies in the Hispanic Caribbean, 1934-1959”, *Latin American Doctoral Seminar*, November 15th, Latin American Center, University of Oxford.
- (OP) 2015. “Beyond Suffrage: Cuban Women’s Role in the Failed Democratic State - Building (1940-1952)”, *Seminar on Gender and Sexual Studies*, December 9th, Harvard University.

C.3. Research projects

- **Ref: UNAM-DGAPA-PAPIIT-IG300223:** “Pensamiento crítico de mujeres en América Latina y el Caribe. Orígenes, diálogos e institucionalización. 1870-1970”. **Financial Entity (FE):** Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México. **Principal Researcher (PR):** 1) Margarita Millán Moncayo, 2) Verónica Renata López Nájera, and 3) Regina Aida Crespo Franzoni . **Period (PE):** 20/06/24 – presente. **Budget (B):** 2.686.322 pesos. **Position (P):** Research Team. **Research Line (RL):** Black Cuban women thinkers.
- **Ref. 25-9-ID23:** “Género y movilidades. Las mujeres como transmisoras de información, ideas y productos en la América Hispánica desde el siglo XVIII hasta la actualidad”. **FE:** Instituto de las Mujeres, Ministerio de Igualdad. **PR:** R. Moreno Cabanillas (University of Seville). **PE:** 07/02/25-30/09/25. **B:** €25.000. **P:** Research Team. **RL:** Black Cuban women.
- **Ref. RTI2018-094305-B-I00PHAHIS6:** “El orden y sus desafíos en el Circuncaribe hispano, 1791-1960”. **FE:** Ministry of Science and Innovation. **PR:** C. Naranjo Orovio (Instituto de Historia – CSIC). **PE:** 01/19-12/22. **B:** €14,522. **P:** Work Team. **RL:** women’s leagues in Mexico and Cuba.
- **Ref. AH/P008852/1:** “How Women’s Rights Became Human Rights: Gender, Socialism and Postsocialism in Global History, 1917-2017”. **FE:** Arts & Humanities Research Fellowship. **PR:** Celia Donert (Liverpool/Cambridge University). **PE:** 01/17-12/19. **B:** £164,070. **P:** Work Team. **RL:** The Women’s International Democratic Federation in Mexico and Cuba (1945-1959).
- **Ref. HAR2015-66152-R:** “El espacio antillano: génesis, circulación y redistribución de individuos, mercancías, ideas, saberes y modelos (siglos XVIII-XXI)”. **FE:** Ministry of Economy, Trade and Enterprise. **PR:** C. Naranjo Orovio (Instituto de Historia – CSIC). **PE:** 01/16-12/18. **B:** €50,000. **P:** Work Team. **RL:** Cuban women in the Republic & the Revolution (1933-59).
- **Ref. HAR2015-69172-REDT:** “Red de Excelencia de Estudios sobre esclavitud y raza en Iberoamérica y el Caribe”. **FE:** Ministry of Economy, Trade and Enterprise. **PR:** C. Naranjo Orovio (Instituto de Historia – CSIC). **PE:** 01/16-12/17. **B:** €25,000. **P:** Team Member (2016-17). **RL:** Cuban women in the Republic and the Revolution (1933-1959). Black Cuban women: social, economic, and political status.
- **Ref. HAR2012-37455-C03-01:** “Marcadores del tiempo: Continuidades y discontinuidades en las sociedades antillanas, siglos XIX y XX”. **FE:** Ministry of Economy, Trade, and Enterprise. **PR:** C. Naranjo Orovio (Institute of History, CSIC). **PE:** 01/13-12/15. **B:** €35,100. **P:** Team member. **RL:** Cuban women in the Republic and the Revolution (1933-1959).