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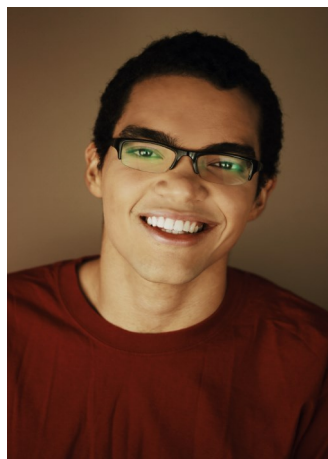
Graduate Student Newsletter

Welcome back, MLL ‘Canes!

We hope you enjoyed your summer and are hitting the floor running this semester. Please join us in congratulating current and former students with the following accomplishments.

Current Students

Conference Presentations



Gabriel das Chagas Alves Pereira
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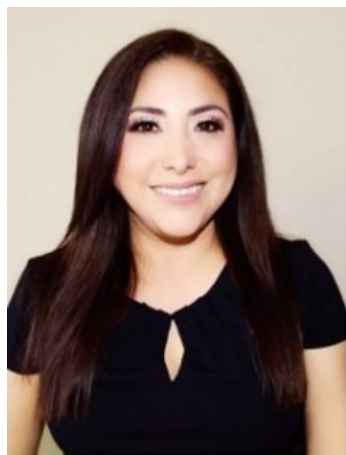
Congratulations to Gabriel for presenting his paper, “Diante da ciência que mata, tentativas de contornar a dor: Ficção e memória de Lima Barreto como leitor da eugenia” at Conferência Letra e Memória (Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil) on July 5, 2022.

Gabriel also presented his paper, “Decolonialidade interseccional nos contos de Lima Barreto” at X Seminário Internacional de Literatura e Cultura (Federal University of Sergipe, Brazil) this past August 12, 2022.

Published Paper

Congratulations to Gabriel for having his article, "Aquiles, o contemporâneo calcanhar de Luanda, Lisboa, Paraíso: diante do desabrigo, o desamparo de uma casa que se perdeu." published in *Mulemba - Revista de Estudos de Literaturas Africanas de Língua Portuguesa*.

Conference Presentations



Lourdes (Luli) Schmader

Congratulations to Luli for presenting her paper “¿Puede el pueblo Waorani interceder en favor de su tierra y evitar que el capitalismo la destruya?” at the XXII Congreso Anual de la Asociación de Ecuatorianistas organized by the Asociación de Ecuatorianistas and the Universidad Nacional de Educación (UNAE) held in Azogues, Ecuador from July 20-22, 2022.

Luli’s paper “Dina Bellhram y la volatilidad de la palabra en *La mujer de helio*.” was accepted to the XIV Encuentro sobre Literatura Ecuatoriana y Latinoamericana “Alfonso Carrasco Vintimilla” which will be held at Universidad de Cuenca (Ecuador) Facultad de Filosofía, Letras y Ciencias de la Educación from November 21-25, 2022.

Also, her paper, “Colectivo Las Tesis: Cuerpo, calle y movilidad.” has been accepted for presentation at the Symposium on Gender, History, and Sexuality organized by UT Austin to be held this fall via Zoom.

Alumni



Marivi Véliz

Congratulations to Marivi, who has accepted a position as Visiting Assistant Professor in the department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures at Wichita State University.

Marivi Véliz is a PhD in Literary, Cultural and Linguistic Studies. She earned her doctorate from the University of Miami (2021) and her B.A. in Art History from Havana University (1999). Her research and writing is focused on connections between the Americas through Performance and Media Studies from decolonial and participatory methodologies. Currently, she is working on her book project “Healing, Deacceleration and the Digital, Latinx/ Latin American Performance Art in 21st Century.”