

ANNA MURTA HODGSON

- EDUCATION** University of Arkansas, Fayetteville – AR
PhD in Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies -----2018
Title: *Paulo Coelho: Transnational Literature, Popular Culture and Postmodernism*
Fields of Research: Brazilian Literature and Cinema, Transnationalism, Cultural Studies, Communication, Cinema, Mass Media, Second Language Acquisition.
4.0 GPA
- University of Arkansas, Fayetteville - AR
M.A. in Communication -----2008
Thesis Title: *An Examination of Central Station as a Prototype for 21st Century Genre of Brazilian Social Drama in Cinema*
4.0 GPA
- Pontifical Catholic University, Belo Horizonte, MG – Brazil
B.A. in Communication and Journalism ----- 1998
Academic Merit Award

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- PUBLICATIONS** Murta, Anna P. "Audience Studies." *Encyclopedia of Literary and Cultural Theory*. Oxford: Blackwell Publishing, 2011. 912-915. Print
- Murta, Anna P. "Laura Mulvey." *Encyclopedia of Literary and Cultural Theory*. *Encyclopedia of Literary and Cultural Theory*. Oxford: Blackwell Publishing, 2011. 1181-5. Print.
- Murta, Anna P. "The Gaze." *Encyclopedia of Literary and Cultural Theory*. Oxford: Blackwell Publishing, 2011. 1079-8. Print.

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- PRESENTATIONS** Murta, Anna P. "Angels of the Sun: A Study Case of Production and Consumption of Socially-Committed Films in Brazil." Lecture Series, Guest Speaker. Brigham Young University, Provo, 2017.
- Murta, Anna P. "Angels of the Sun: A Study Case of Production and Consumption of Socially-Committed Films in Brazil." Latin America in the World Symposium, Guest Speaker. Utah Valley University, Orem, Utah. 2016.
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Murta, Anna P. "Charles Chaplin: The Immigrant." Chaplin in the Heartland, Conference Paper. University of Ohio, Zanesville. 2010.

Murta, Anna P. "Brazilian Cinema". Guest Speaker. University of Arkansas, Fayetteville. 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011.

**TEACHING
EXPERIENCE**

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH, SALT LAKE CITY – UT

Department of World Languages and Cultures

Assistant Professor (Lec.) -----2019-Now

- Courses Taught: Brazilian Civilization and Culture, Business Portuguese, Portuguese Grammar, Intermediate Portuguese.
- Portuguese Language Program - Director
- Nahuatl and Quechua Long-Distance-Learning - Coordinator
- Brazilian Club (RSO) - Faculty Advisor
- Community Engagement Learning – Attributed Faculty

UTAH VALLEY UNIVERSITY, OREM – UT

Department of Communication

Department of Languages and Cultures

Adjunct Faculty -----2015-2019

- Courses Taught: Brazilian Cinema, Intermediate Portuguese, Portuguese Literature, Business Portuguese, Introduction to Communication, Interpersonal Communication
- Service Learning – Faculty Fellow
- Hybrid and Online Platforms – Certified Faculty

SALT LAKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE, SALT LAKE CITY – UT

Division of Communication and Performing Arts

Department Applied Technology – ESL Program

Adjunct Faculty -----2015-2019

- Courses Taught: Film and Culture, Introduction to Film, ESL

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, FAYETTEVILLE – AR

Department of Communication

Graduate Assistant –Film and Communication Theory----- 2014-2015

- Assisted in large classes of approximately 200 students
 - Lectured and conducted discussion sections
 - Mediated film discussions and supervised Honor Students projects
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UNIVERSIDADE DE BRASÍLIA, BRASÍLIA – DF – BRAZIL

Department of World Languages and Translation

Visiting Professor----- 2012-2013

- Courses Taught: Critical Reading, Composition (Portuguese) II, Composition II (English), Creative Writing (English), Translation of Technical and Scientific Texts (English-Portuguese)
- Participated in four senior thesis committees

CENTRO UNIVERSITÁRIO EURO-AMERICANO, BRASÍLIA – DF – BRAZIL

Department of Communication

Assistant Professor -----2012-2013

- Courses Taught: Critical Reading and Composition I, Communication Theory I and II, Organizational Communication, Art and Advertising
- Participated in four senior thesis committees

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, FAYETTEVILLE – AR

Department of Communication

Graduate Assistant - Film Lecture-----2009-2011

- Assisted in large classes of approximately 200 students
- Lectured and conducted discussion sections
- Mediated film discussions and supervised Honor Students projects

Teaching Assistant – Fundamentals of Communication----- 2007-2010

- Prepared and delivered original lectures and assignments in the areas of interpersonal, organizational, intercultural, speech communication and media literacy

TEACHING Teaching Knowledge Test 1, 2 and 3 – Cambridge University - 2014
CERTIFICATIONS TESOL Certification – St. Giles International - 2003

SERVICE Review for *Revista Linguagem e Ensino* (Pós -Graduação Universidade de Pelotas)
University of Utah – Academic Senate (Career-Line Representative)
University of Utah – Department of World Languages and Cultures (member, committee on new Major proposal)
University of Utah – Center for Latin American Studies CLAS - (member, Foreign Language and Area Studies scholarships – FLAS - awards committee)

AFFILIATIONS MLA - Modern Language Association

AATSP – The American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese

APSA – American Portuguese Studies Association

BRASA – Brazilian Studies Association

Member of the Honor Society of **Phi Kappa Phi**

Member of the **National Scholars Honor Society**